

SHIRAS WILL NOT RETIRE AT ONCE

He Has Been Persuaded to Wait Until Governor Taft Can Leave the Philippines.

TAFT IS CHOSEN

Will Succeed the Aged Jurist on the Supreme Bench in a Year's Time.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Washington, D. C., Jan. 3.—Justice Shiras of the United States supreme court has officially announced that he will defer his retirement from the bench for a year more so that Governor Taft may conclude his work in the Philippines.

It is now generally conceded that Governor Taft will be the next supreme judge and that Judge Shiras



JUDGE WILLIAM H. TAFT.

will remain in his present place until he can complete the work he has on hand in the islands and return to this country.

An Able Lawyer Governor Taft is considered one of the ablest lawyers of the country and it has been rumored that he took the Philippine post on the condition that he would have the next judgeship vacant.

HITS BOTH THE LEADING POWERS

America and Germany Affected by the Tariff Duties of Austria Hungary.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Vienna, Jan. 3.—Increased tariff duties on both grain and manufactured articles are the important features of the new austro-hungarian tariff. It is learned is of a highly protectionist character. Precise details of the higher duties will be determined upon within a fortnight.

The duties on both grain and manufactured articles will be considerably increased, which is likely to affect seriously both the United States and Great Britain, who are respectively the third and second largest exporters of manufactured articles to Austria. It is thought here that Great Britain will be the greater sufferer, since the United States is better able to protect herself by adopting retaliatory measures.

The term of the new austro-hungarian tariff is considered one of the most important in the history of the world. The agreement is the result of compromises on the part of both Austria and Hungary. The two premieres wished to resign, asserting that they were unable to reach an agreement. Emperor Francis Joseph, however, refused to consent to this and insisted that the austro-hungarian tariff be completed before midnight on December 31.

First M. E. Church—W. W. Warner, pastor. Residence, 102 South Academy street. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching service at 10:30 a. m. Subject: "Preparing for Pentecost." Sunday school at 12 m. Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Subject: "Our Next Great War." A hearty welcome to all.

ARREST A MINISTER IN PULPIT

Kentucky Officials Charge Pastor With Selling Whisky Illegally.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 3.—Rev. W. R. Casada, the mountain evangelist, was dragged from his pulpit and placed under arrest at the Mount Zion Baptist church near Somerset, Ky. J. A. Coleman, United States deputy marshal, went to the church with a warrant charging him with selling whisky without license. Tapping the minister on the shoulder, the officer ordered him to surrender. At the time of the minister's arrest there were nine persons at the communion rail. Thirteen had just been converted.

The Hillsboro and Northeastern railroad, a new five mile line from Union Center to Hillsboro was formally opened today.

DELEGATE GULDI STILL HOPEFUL

Believes Church Matters in the Philippines Will Now Be Settled Satisfactorily.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Rome, Jan. 3.—The Vatican is in receipt of the first long report from Mgr. Galdi on the situation in the Philippines. The delegate expresses the hope that as he and the governor are both animated by a desire to maintain the pacification and secure the prosperity of the islands they will succeed in reaching an understanding satisfactory to Rome, Washington and the Philippine people. He thinks that the question of the withdrawal of the friars will be solved through the re-organization of the church. The apostolic delegate says the schism in the Roman Catholic church in the Philippines will be put down, although the separatist movement is believed to be encouraged by the people's dislike of the friars and their desire to have a Filipino church not connected with the ancient regime.

LONDON HEARS SOUSA'S BAND

Audience Shows Appreciation of the Music, with the Exception of American National Airs.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) London, Jan. 3.—A large audience which, however, did not fill the Queen's hall, welcomed the re-appearance of Sousa and his band in London tonight. A curious incident was noted at the beginning of the program. The band broke out with "God Save the King," and the whole audience stood up, but when, without stopping the music, merged into "The Star Spangled Banner," the majority of those present sat down.

GERMANS FEAR TARIFF LAWS

Commercial Treaty Society Declares New Duties To Have Effect Not Expected.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Berlin, January, 3.—The Commercial Treaty society has issued a circular complaining of the United States customs' treatment of German goods. In part it is as follows: "It is quite characteristic that this tariff annoyance has not been applied to English or Belgian but exclusively to German goods. There is a system in the matter. It answers the new German tariff, which strikes at leading articles of American export, which extraordinary severity. We have every reason to complain of American tariff treatment and customs practices, but the course adopted by Germany is likely to have the opposite effect from that wished."

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Officers were chosen for the Chicago Citizens' association. Trunk lines centering in Chicago have broken the agreement not to issue passes.

Increased incomes for the Chicago city schools library and other taxing bodies are assured. A noted revivalist was arrested while preaching near Louisville, Ky. for selling whiskey illegally.

The Wall street market advanced early and was well supported, in spite of the high rates for call money. Iowa teachers at their state convention adopted a resolution favoring the use of the Bible in the public schools.

Peter M. Arthur, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers attended a conference at the Great Northern hotel. The jury has received all of the evidence on the Tona Dunlap murder trial at Alledo, Ill. and was retired for consultation.

The War Department made public the recommendations of the board making some radical changes in the army uniforms. The postoffice at Indianola, Miss., from which the colored postmistress was driven by force, will be closed by the government. Minister Leischman returned to Turkey with instructions to see the Sultan and demand a recognition of the United States' claims.

In New Orleans there is no fuel oil on the market and those furnaces which had been fitted for its use are being changed back to coal.

A big crowd is expected tonight at Belmont hall, Chicago, when John M. Harlan will deliver his opening speech in the mayoralty campaign.

Messages of felicitation were exchanged between the United States and Hawaii on the completion of the first section of the new Pacific cable. Police Commissioner Green threw a bomb shell into the New York police department by ordering every plain clothes man and precinct detective to return to patrol duty.

Eight buildings were engulfed by the Eddy Creek mine at Olympian Pa., and more than one hundred miners escaped from the mine after having some thrilling experiences while shut in.

John Owens, recently arrested and released at New York, no crime having been proven against him, asked an injunction to prevent the New York police department from keeping his picture in the "Rogues' gallery."

CONGRESS OPENS MONDAY NEXT

It Will Be a Busy Week in the Senate and House of Representatives.

IMPORTANT BILLS

Statehood, Anti-Trust and Canal Bills All Up in the Senate for Settlement.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Washington, D. C., Jan. 3.—The holiday vacation is over and the senators and congressmen are returning to Washington for the business session that begins on Monday next. In the Senate the Statehood bill comes up first for discussion and also the anti-trust bill and the Nicaraguan canal bill.

Notable Speeches Senator Hoar's speech on the anti-trust and Senator Morgan's on the canal bill will be the most notable addresses of the week and are watched for with much interest.

In The House The House will be busy on appropriation bills for the next six weeks and the Venezuelan question will come up for debate. Secretary Hay will be asked for all correspondence on the matter between the United States and foreign powers.

CORTES OPENED IN PORTUGAL

King Carlos Makes a Complimentary Speech to the Assembled Delegates.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Lisbon, Jan. 3.—The cortes was opened today. In the speech from the throne King Carlos felicitated the cortes on the cordial relations existing between Portugal and all powers, but especially with Great Britain.

WAR VESSELS DRILL DAILY

Admiral Dewey Is Much Pleased with the Way They Are Handled.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) San Juan, Porto Rico, Jan. 2.—The fleet of United States war ships is continuing daily drills off Culebra Island. Admiral Dewey is exercising the entire force, giving directions from the dispatch boat Dolphin.

TONA DUNLAP IS NOT GUILTY

Jury Finds That the Alledo Girl Did Not Send the Poisoned Candy.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Alledo, Ill., Jan. 3.—Tona Dunlap, who has been on trial here for five weeks for the alleged murder of Alledo Dool by giving her poisoned candy was acquitted this morning.

AUDITOR KEEPS FEES FROM CORPORATIONS

Iowa Official Accused of Making Excessive Charges Is Relieved From Blame.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 3.—The state executive council has decided that State Auditor Merriam is entitled to keep fees secured by making examination of foreign insurance companies, but that he must keep a record in his office of all fees so collected.

Auditor Merriam was accused of making unauthorized examinations of foreign insurance companies doing business in Iowa, and of charging exorbitant fees. The charges were investigated by the executive council and the above decision was the result. The council's conclusion is that when insurance companies voluntarily pay for examinations sums which they believe to be excessive if there is any remedy it is one which must be sought by the companies directly against the auditor or his examiner. Under the opinion of the attorney general the state has no interest in these amounts and no authority over the auditor with respect to the sums charged.

Want Duelling Suppressed.

Rome, Jan. 3.—The pope is about to issue an encyclical against the practice of duelling. He will appeal to all Christian governments to suppress the practice, which is described as a survival of the middle ages.

Confesses Embezzlement.

London, Jan. 3.—G. H. Elder was remanded at Guildhall police court charged on his own confession with having embezzled \$75,000 from his employers, Brown, Shipley & Co, the American bankers.

MAY OWE APOLOGY TO VENEZUELA

Red Line Captain Said To Have Violated the Laws of Neutrality in War.

MAIDEN GERMANY

Gave Information That Led to Capture of the Gunboat Miranda, of the Venezuelan Navy.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) New York, Jan. 3.—Owing to the action of Captain George Terrill of the Red Line steamship company in informing of the whereabouts of the Venezuelan cruisers leading to their capture, the relations between the United States and Venezuela may be strained.

Is Suspended Captain Terrill commanded the Zulla and it is claimed that he told the German gunboat how he could capture the Venezuelan gunboat Miranda. He has been suspended, pending an investigation and his boat sailed without him from New York.

Violated Neutrality It is claimed that his act violated the laws of neutrality and that an explanation will be asked from the United States by Venezuela of the action and that amendments must be made for the act or the present peace negotiations may fall through.

STEAMERS CANCEL THEIR INSURANCE

Great Interest Is Now Felt Over the Move in Shipping Quarters.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) London, January 3.—Considerable interest was created today at Lloyd's announcement that three lines belonging to the International Mercantile Marine company—the Leyland, Dominion and White Star, had cancelled their insurance from January 1.

BRET HARTE LEFT SMALL ESTATE

The American Author Only Had \$1800 When He Died in London.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) London, Jan. 3.—Letters of administration on the estate of Bret Harte the American author, who died in May last, have been granted to his son. The value of the estate is only \$1,800.

JEWS NOT TO BE MADE CITIZENS

Roumanian Senate Did Not Agree to the Proposition, as Reported.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Bucharest, Jan. 3.—The statement sent out December 27 to the effect that the Roumanian senate had agreed to the naturalization of Jews in Roumania was erroneous. The discussion in the senate that day arose over a petition for naturalization of Jews in general. The petitioner's request was granted.

PRIEST AND PEOPLE FIGHT AT CHURCH

Quarrel Among the Polish Catholics at Menominee Leads to Arrest of Clergyman.

Menominee, Mich., Jan. 3.—As the result of a dispute between members of the Polish Catholic church here and Father Papon, the pastor, a personal encounter took place at the close of mass. The priest claims that when he appeared at the door of the church he was attacked and his robes torn. He struck at his assailants, but other members of the congregation interfered, preventing more serious trouble. The priest later was arrested charged with assault and battery.

"LUCKY" BALDWIN HAS CANCER

Well-Known Horseman and Speculator Is Critically Ill.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 3.—With death from cancer threatening him, E. J. Baldwin, better known as "Lucky" Baldwin, is lying in a lodging house here. He has been there ever since the day after Christmas, but his identity has been hidden under the name of Edward Jackson. Dr. S. R. Chamberly has the case in hand. He said his patient would be out in a few days, but this is doubted.

Former Governor Dies.

Guthrie, O. T., Jan. 3.—N. Daniels, aged 50, ex-Governor of the territory, died here. He had been a noted character in politics in the territory and also in Minnesota and Illinois. He made the run into Oklahoma in 1889 and secured a claim.

LONDON'S LICENSE ACT IS ENFORCED

Sir Charles Lawson Says That His Wife is a Habitual Drunkard.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) London, Jan. 3.—The first notable case under the new licensing act, which went into effect yesterday, came up in a London police court today, when Sir Charles Lawson, the Anglo-Indian newspaper editor and writer, applied for a summons against Lady Lawson, whom he described as a habitual drunkard. The summons was granted.

The new act enables either a husband or a wife to secure a separation in the case of habitual drunkenness, and allows the police to arrest an inebriate anywhere except in a private house, whether disorderly or not.

After conviction drunkards are blacklisted for a period of three years. If they attempt to obtain drink during that period they are liable to a fine, while the saloonkeeper supplying him is fined \$50 for the first offense, and \$100 for the second offense. Imprisonment is provided for drunkenness of a person in charge of a child under 7 years of age.

DO NOT FEAR TOBACCO TRUST

Berlin Dealers Profess To Be Indifferent to Anglo-American Invasion of Market.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Berlin, Jan. 3.—Leading tobacco manufacturers profess indifference to the invasion of Germany by the Anglo-American tobacco trust. They do not intend to combine for defense. They say that so long as they are able to secure their regular supply of Turkish tobacco they do not care how many presents the trust distributes.

ANARCHISTS MEET, BUT ARE CAUGHT

The Police Gather in Suspects While Holding Session in a Cafe.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Cologne, Jan. 3.—The police of Düsseldorf today raided an anarchist meeting which was being held in a cafe. Thirteen delegates to the conference from eight cities in Germany, including Essen, Crefeld, and Solingen, were arrested. Several leading anarchists from Berlin, who were in attendance at the meeting were also arrested.

STATE NOTES

A dispute over fifteen cents worth of wood resulted in the death of William Latimer of Fairchild.

There are sixty-three cases of a mild form of smallpox at Kendall, a small village near Troy.

Peter Lyons of Troy fell from a roof on which he was working as a tinner and broke both arms.

Winfield Pike of Shawano, who was believed to have been murdered was heard from in a letter.

Henry Ringling, youngest of the circus proprietors, was wedded at Baraboo to Miss Ida Palmer.

Thomas Reinhardt, the Green Bay rural route mail carrier, arrested on a charge of embezzlement, confessed the crime.

Sadie Quaw of Racine was granted a divorce from her husband, Charles Quaw, on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment.

John Lipke of Juneau was operated upon for an inflamed eye and a piece of copper was discovered imbedded above the pupil.

A discharged employe of a paper mill was arrested, accused of damaging a valuable machine by throwing a stick of wood into it.

Charles Piller of Neenah asked his family to excuse him for a few moments, and going to a back room shot himself, the wound resulting fatally.

Three young men in Hamburg, Marathon county have taken up the raising of ginseng on a small scale, and have been so successful that they expect to enlarge the scope of their venture.

Francis E. Morey of Grand Rapids, committed suicide by shooting himself. He was a real estate man and it is alleged that his business was badly tangled.

Three big Pewaukee firms have begun their ice harvest with 600 men and forty teams. About 350,000 tons will be cut altogether, for storage and for shipment.

Sheriff Stackhouse and his wife of Baraboo, plunged over a bluff in the cutter in which they were riding to the river fifty feet below, but miraculously escaped with severe bruises.

Depere business men are circulating a petition to patronize only those travelling salesmen who patronize the hotels of the city for at least one meal. Many of the drummers run up from Green Bay on the electric road and return immediately.

Will Work Much Hardship.

The recent closing of the various convents in France, it is learned, will cause the industry and art of lace-making to die out. This charming and profitable work was fostered chiefly in religious institutions where the nuns were past mistresses in the art and the peasant girls of the neighborhood were pupils.

SULTAN STARTS FOR A HOLY WAR

Pretender Enters Fez and is Well Received by the Inhabitants of the City.

RULER RETIRES

Will Incite the Border Tribes to Wage a War for Islam's Sake at Once.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Madrid, Jan. 3.—A telegram from Fez says that the Pretender to the Moroccan throne entered Fez and was joyfully received by the inhabitants who were tired of the Sultan and his rule and introduction of European customs.

Sultan's Holy War The Sultan will at once start a Holy War using the border tribes to augment his band of faithful followers who left the city and retired to



Rabat with him. He will at once proclaim himself the defender of Islam and march against the Pretender.

In "One Eyes" Name The Pretender announces that he has not waged the war for himself but for "One Eye" Mulai Mohammed, the brother of the Sultan, who has been imprisoned for years and but recently released. Several foreign powers have vessels watching the coast.

MERRILL ASSUMES HIS NEW DUTIES

Former Janesville Man Drops Insurance Agencies To Be Active Vice President.

Willard Merrill of Milwaukee yesterday relinquished his duties as superintendent of agencies of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company to assume the duties of vice president. He is one of the best known insurance men in Milwaukee and has been with the Northwestern company since its inception. He was born in Rome, N. Y., in 1831 and came west in 1856, locating in Prairie du Chien. He began the practice of law there and later located in Janesville. He became interested in the insurance business at Janesville and was first connected with the company in a legal capacity. He removed to Milwaukee in 1873 and was secretary of the company until 1881. He was first elected vice president in 1894, but retained his place also as superintendent of agencies. He is in vigorous health and is considered one of the most efficient officials of the company.

MILTON AVENUE SCHEDULE READY

Clerk Badger Finds That Thirty-Nine Elect to Pay Assessment; Twenty-Six Not.

City Clerk Badger has prepared the statement and schedule of those who do not elect to pay at once for the improvement of their property and against which bonds will be issued, also the special assessment list of those who elect to pay at once and will present the same to the council Monday night.

Sixty-five pieces of property were benefited by the improvement and of these thirty-nine have elected to pay and twenty-six have not. The bond issue to cover the cost of this improvement will amount to between three and four thousand dollars which is quite a heavy issue of street improvement bonds.

Chief Engineer Klein has completed the annual report regarding the fire department and will have it ready for presentation to the council on Monday night.

Sends Coal by Express.

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 3.—The first ton of coal ever hauled by the American Express Company in this city was delivered to William R. Westcott, agent of the New England Telephone Company. The coal came from Boston in thirteen bags. The charges were \$5.

Forty thousand dollars' loss was done by a department store fire at Cumberland.

MANY WILL TALK ON FARM PRODUCTS

ANNUAL FARMERS' CONVENTION
TO MEET NEXT WEEK.

PLAN A THREE DAYS' SESSION

The Meeting Will Be at Milton Junction—Program is an Excellent One.

Much interest is being taken in the annual farmers' convention to be held at Milton Junction next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Jan. 7, 8, and 9. The convention is held under the auspices of Rock County Pomona Grange, and the session will convene in P. of H. hall. On Wednesday and Thursday there will be three sessions, morning, afternoon and evening, and the convention will come to a close with the afternoon meeting.

This convention is one of the big annual events in Rock county and is always largely attended. This year an unusually attractive program has been arranged for and there will be addresses and discussions by many prominent and well-informed people. The instructive program at each session will be brightened with recitations and excellent music and on Thursday evening the annual entertainment will be given by Miss Nina Cutter, assisted by the Beloit college quartet. Miss Cutter is a graduate of the Soper School of Oratory, and is late of the Irving School of Acting.

In connection with the program of each day there will be a question box in which those who wish may deposit questions on resolutions which they may wish to bring before the convention. All questions and resolutions that may be presented will be read at the opening of each session. The committee that has charge of this department includes S. C. Carr, A. E. Wilcox and George R. Barker. No addresses requiring discussion will be over thirty minutes in length and in the discussions each person will be limited to ten minutes. Dinner will be served each day for those who wish in the Seventh Day Baptist church by the ladies of that society.

Excellent arrangements have been made for the musical programs at each session. On Wednesday the music will be under the direction of Miss Delana Rogers. Thursday Miss Cathryn Bliss will take charge of it and Friday the music is to be under the direction of Mrs. North.

Opening Session
The convention will open on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock with prayer by the Rev. A. L. McClellan. The opening address will be made by S. H. Joiner, master of Pomona Grange and the morning's program will also include a discussion on "The Hen" by the Rev. Milton Wells and a recitation by Miss Hattie Paxton.

Wednesday Afternoon
Wednesday afternoon's session will be opened at 1:30 o'clock with an address on "Government" by A. J. Hutton. Mrs. J. H. Haviland will speak on "Working for a Purpose" and A. J. Lovejoy will discuss "Swine Raising." The session will close with a recitation by Miss Mary Watson.

Evening Program
The evening session will be held at 7:30 o'clock. The program will begin with a selection by an instrumental quartet, the musicians being Paul Seeger, Ray Ogden, Sherman Randall and Date Ogden of Milton Junction. There will also be two vocal solos by Miss Blanche Plumb, a vocal quartet by Mabel Cole, Dora Sykes, Phillip Coon and George Strait and recitations by Mildred McClafferty and Frank Hull. Addresses will be given on "Agriculture in Schools" by County Superintendent O. D. Antisdel; "Prospective View of Schools," County Superintendent Charles Hemmingsway; and "Physical Well Being of Children," State Supt. C. P. Cary.

Thursday Morning
Thursday and Friday mornings the programs will begin at 9 o'clock, the afternoon sessions will convene at 1:30 o'clock and the evening entertainment will begin at 7:30. Thursday morning the prayer by Rev. F. X. Schneider will be followed by a recitation by Miss Mamie Dohany and two addresses, "Organized Labor and Its Rights," by Rev. T. W. North and "Some Political Problems" by W. A. McEwan.

Afternoon and Evening
The addresses at the Thursday afternoon session will be by Rev. S. G. Huey, Emma Jordan Thomas, who will speak on "Jamaica of the Land Beautiful," and W. C. Deland, president of Milton college, whose subject will be "Land as a Means of Culture." A recitation will be given

by Miss Nina Cutter, who also has charge of the evening entertainment.

Friday Morning
Friday morning prayer will be offered by the Rev. L. A. Platts, there will be addresses on "Clover, Corn and Cattle" by J. W. Hutchins, "Heard Along the Lines," by Mrs. Carrie B. Smith, and "Cutting Cross Corners on the Farm or Ways and Means in Farm Economy" by W. L. Ames. Earl Arrington will recite.

MADISON WEDDING IS PRETTY AFFAIR

Rev. Barrington Officiated at the Marriage of Miss Ida Monteith and W. F. Paunack.

Rev. A. H. Barrington, rector of Christ church officiated at the marriage of Miss Ida Jean Monteith of Madison and William F. Paunack, of this city. The ceremony was celebrated at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Monteith, 112 West Wilson street, New Year's eve at 8 o'clock. It was a pretty home wedding and the ceremony was witnessed by a company of fifty relatives and friends.

The bride and groom were unattended and entered the room to the music of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Mrs. Charles Scott. The bride's gown was of white crepe de chine, trimmed with Irish point lace and she carried a bouquet which fell to the lot of her sister, Miss Jessie Monteith. The decorations of the home were dark red carnations and smilax, while from the ceiling hung a bunch of the significant mistletoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Paunack left on a night train for Baraboo and on returning will leave for Vicksburg, Miss which is to be their home. Mr. Paunack is associated with C. P. Rawson and the two have had offices in this city and Madison until quite recently. Both Mr. Paunack and his bride are graduates of the Madison high school. Janesville friends will join in the extension of congratulations and best wishes.

ENTERTAINED FOR EDITH MALTRESS

Company of Her Young Lady Friends Were Guests of Miss Marjorie Cochrane.

Miss Margaret Cochrane was the hostess at a charming party given at her home, 116 Park street, on New Year's night. The company was given in honor of Miss Edith Maltress, whose departure to her future home in Edgerton is deeply regretted by the many young people whose friendship she has won during her residence in Janesville.

The company was not a large one, those who enjoyed the evening together being, Misses Jennie Cleland, Sara Venable, Elsie Fathers, Mattie Spoon, Edith Lotts, Edna Rogers, Edith Maltress and the hostess, of this city and the Misses Fannie Stewart and Nellie Rogers of Beloit.

HAPPY EVENTS IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Many Parties Given on Last Day of Old Year and First of the New.

The last three days and evenings have been crowded with social events. Among some of the most delightful were the burlesque Christmas tree with its joke presents, given at the home of Misses Helen and Catherine Pfaff, Thursday evening; the small, informal dancing party given by Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Carle, in Central hall, Wednesday evening; Roy Carter furnishing the music; and the luncheon given Wednesday afternoon by Miss Sybil Nash, in honor of Mrs. Ralph Wheeler and Mrs. F. J. Tucker, of Chicago, and by Miss May Valentine. Miss Valentine also entertained a company of friends in the evening.

A. C. Powers, E. H. Ransom and W. H. Noyes, officers of a Farmers' Corporation Insurance company, were in session today at the county clerk's office checking up their accounts.

NOTED DIVINES COME HERE SOON

MISSION OF THE TWO EPISCOPAL CHURCHES.

FATHERS OF THE HOLY CROSS

On January 23 the Series of Mission Services Will Begin in This City.

The Rev. J. P. Ritchie, rector of Trinity church, received a communication yesterday from the Holy Cross Fathers who are to conduct a mission here in a couple of weeks, beginning January 23. Instructions and suggestions were given regarding many of the details of the preparatory work for the services held by the Fathers. For two weeks past, intercessory services have been held in both Christ and Trinity church in preparation for the mission. Father Huntington is considered one of the ablest divines in the entire country, and certainly one of the strongest in the Episcopal church.

When a young man Father Huntington was the possessor of considerable means and his social rank was high. Many of his friends attempted to dissuade him from taking up the life of a clergyman, but he did so. He was educated in New York, and at the time of the formation of the order in 1881, he joined the order of the Holy Cross. All of his wealth he devoted for the good of the order and for general charitable and missionary work.

The Holy Cross Fathers have a monastery at Westminster, Maryland and a new building of plain but massive design is being erected for them and is now nearly completed. The object of the order is to ennoble the lives of its members, and they give up their services for general charitable and similar benevolent works.

Father Hill, another of the three Fathers who are to come, is considered a powerful preacher, and he together with Father Huntington, will do most of the preaching. The third of the trio, Father Hughson, will probably devote the most of his time to the general details of the mission.

Mrs. Charles W. Kemmerer and daughter Ina are visiting relatives in Chicago.

CLOSING HOURS TO BE EARLIER

Action of Barbers Regarding Saturday Night Hours Goes Into Effect This Evening.

Following action taken at the last regular meeting of the Barbers' union, nearly a month ago, the abbreviated Saturday night hours are to go into effect this evening. Under the new regime all barber shops are to close their doors at eleven o'clock and tardy patrons must manage to get around earlier than has been their custom or go unshaven over Sunday. Proprietors of several shops made objection to the ruling but their protests did not meet with enough sympathy to rescind the action taken. It is said that the matter will come up for vigorous discussion on Monday evening at the monthly meeting of the union.

Entertained Friends: Miss Sadie Joyce entertained a company of about twenty-five of her young friends in happy manner Thursday evening. Several hours were spent enjoyably at the card tables and an elegant supper was served.

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Premium Income, - 134,732,611
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This Sale will continue for fourteen working days.
Economy will prompt You to Buy Liberally. The money loss is ours, but there is Good Merchandising Sense in giving You this buying benefit.

Some Sweeping Price Reductions in Dress Goods.

If you've a dress goods need or liable to have a dress goods need in the near future, we would strongly advise you to take advantage of this chance.

200 Pieces of dress goods, colors and black, wool fancies, silk and wool novelties, 54-inch all wool suitings, that have been selling until recently at 75c to \$1.25 Reduction Price..... 50c

50 pieces black novelties, values up to \$1.50. Reduction Price..... 50c

The Silk Reductions Will Interest You.

This store always sells silks at reasonable prices. During this sale we shall sell silks at unreasonable prices, that is, unreasonably low prices, but the object has been fully explained

100 pieces of Fancies, that have been sold from 85c to \$1.25, beautiful styles. Reduction price..... 73c

75 pieces of rich qualities in plain faille, satin, gros grain marvellous, etc., actual values 75c to \$1.25. Reduction Price..... 57c

50 pieces of Fancy Silks worth 60c to 85c, excellent for waists or lining. Reduction Price..... 43c

Rich, Black Gros Grain Silks at Reduction Prices lower than we have ever made before. The values are certainly exceptional.

Big Price Reductions on Blankets.

This stock of Blankets of ours is to be turned into money, and to do it quickly we have stripped the legitimate profit from every pair of blankets in the store.

100 pairs of all wool Blankets, white and gray, pretty borders, size 11-4, regular price \$8.50, Reduction Price is..... \$2.75

90 pairs of heavy white Blankets, wool mixed, were \$2.00, size 11 4, Reduction Price..... \$1.65

60 pairs grey Blankets, were \$8.00, Reduction Price is..... \$2.50

A Chance at Warm Winter Underwear.

and such a chance as you can ill afford to slight. Buy Underwear during this sale and you save money.

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR.

All grades including the Munsing vests, pants and suits.

25c	now	22c	1.25	now	1.10
40c	now	33c	1.50	now	1.35
50c	now	45c	2.00	now	1.75
75c	now	65c	2.50	now	2.15
\$1.00	now	85c	3.00	now	2.50

MEN'S UNDERWEAR.

50 cents	now	45 cents.
75 cents	now	65 cents.
\$1.00	now	90 cents.
1.25	now	\$1.10.
1.50	now	1.35.
2.00	now	1.75.

Price Cutting in the Garment Room.

If you've an outer garment or suit to buy, now is the time to buy it. Profits in many instances completely wiped out.

200 Skirts and Walking Dress Skirts, that have been \$5.00 to \$12.00, just to close them quick, we make the Reduction Price \$3.75. Winter Garments. Hard to quote prices, are offering them at prices that will sell them, and are not losing many sales. All sizes.

WE have not attempted to mention EVERYTHING that is REDUCED, but THESE will give one food for thought and we will talk about OTHER THINGS in another ad.
GREAT BARGAINS AWAIT YOU!
SALE CONTINUES FOR 14 DAYS.

Start the New Year

By Ordering
A Case Of

BUOB'S STAR EXPORT BEER....

South Side Brewery,
PHONE 141.

For That Cold

Why not cure it with our
SULPHO QUININE.

Price 25 Cents.

For That Cold

(Why Bark Like A Dog.)

It irritates your lungs and
will become chronic.

Cure It

with Badger Tolu Tar, and
Wild Cherry.

Price 25 Cents.

BADGER DRUG CO.

PHONE 178.

Milwaukee & River St., Janesville.

High Grade SOFT COAL \$5.50 Per Ton

This coal is especially
prepared for domestic
use, about the
size of range.

GOOD SUBSTITUTE FOR HARD COAL.

Give it a trial with
your next order.

J. F. SPOON & CO

Down Town Office: Badger Drug Store.
Phone 178.

Telephone 211—Yards, North River St

PARTY DRESSERS.

No matter how delicate
a material, we clean
them and make them
look like new. No process
like ours. Gloves
cleaned on short notice

Carl Brockhaus.

58 E. Milwaukee St. New Phone 312
Good called for and delivered.

OUR 1903 Maxims.

One of them reads:

"For you to remain dissatisfied
with any work done here is to
make us more dissatisfied."

It isn't today's business we're depending on. It's tomorrow's, next week's, next month's, next year's. We want you to be so well pleased with your treatment here and with our work that you'll come again and again with friends. That's the object of our advertising. That's the object of our work.

Whitcomb Dental Parlors.

Evenings till 8. Sunday Forenoon
Suite 304 Jackson Bldg., Phone 112.

...Forty Years Ago...

Janesville Daily Gazette, Jan. 3, 1863.—The dispatches this forenoon are of great interest. A terrible battle has been fought at Murfreesboro, Tennessee. The result has not entirely transpired, although it is said that the enemy were driven from their entrenchments and were in full retreat. The fight lasted two days. A Wisconsin regiment, it is stated, lost seven captains and three lieutenants. Colonel David McKee, was killed. There will be great anxiety to learn further particulars.

There was an inquest at Kenosha on Wednesday, on the body of Mr. Taylor, who was brutally murdered in that county a few days since. It was in substance that he came to his death at the hands of the person who left this city in company, whose name it may not be well to publish for two or three days yet. Officers are on the track of the assassin, and it is hoped he will be taken.

Contrabands begin to come into Burnside's army and are received under the proclamation. According to its terms they must be employed in garrison duty.

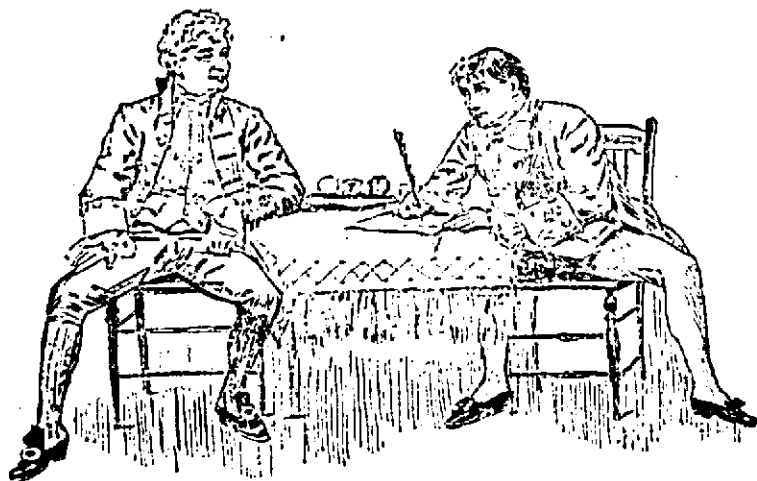
An important victory has been gained over Forest and Van Dorn by General Sullivan of Grant's army. The loss is heavy. We believe that nearly all the Wisconsin regiments belonging to Grant's army are in Sullivan's division. The place where the battle was fought is not mentioned in Gen. Grant's dispatches.

The slaves at Norfolk, Virginia, had a jubilee the first of January in anticipation of the proclamation of freedom. Four thousand of them joined in the procession. They will be terribly disappointed when they learn that they have been excepted from the great boon it confers upon others of their race.

JOE JEFFERSON'S SONS ARE ACTORS

Veteran Comedian's Company Headed
by His Two Oldest Sons in
"The Rivals."

The following from the Chicago Tribune speaks for itself. "Coming out of Powers" last evening after witnessing the performance of The Rivals, a bright eyed young woman was overheard saying: "This has been a profitable evening, and then she added, half resentfully, why don't we have more of them?" Her remark, it is believed, voiced the sentiment of nearly every person in the large audience that had just received Sheridan's comedy with every evidence of delighted enjoyment. The language of the play may seem to us antiquated in expression and certain of the characters may impress us as old fashioned, but the wit, because it is genuine, is keen, and the humor of the situations by reason of the skillful ease with which they are created, has



THE JEFFERSONS IN "THE RIVALS."

lost none of its power to amuse and gladden.

Not only the eye is gratified by witnessing one of these "old fashioned" comedies, especially when they are presented with as much taste as was "The Rivals" last night, but the mind, too, is aroused and entertained and the auditor departs at the performance's close feeling that he has been not only diverted and amused, but refreshed and invigorated. Such an evening is, in truth, profitable, for the recreation that is one of the chief ends of theater going has been obtained and the mental faculties have not been left unused, or what is more damaging, been dulled by inactivity and worse. Why do we not have more of them is a text requiring too far-reaching treatment to receive attention here even were it desirable. Managers, players, and public are each in part to blame for the infrequency of such evenings of profit, but it is doubtful if the chief portion of such blame can with justice be laid at the door of the public.

If the theater going public of Janesville desire to spend a "profitable" evening, should they fail to see "The Rivals" as presented by Joseph Jefferson Jr. and William W. Jefferson at the Myers Grand, with their all-star cast on January 6th, then they will be doing themselves an unpardonable injury.

REVIVAL BRIGADE HERE

Special Services Will be Held at Salvation Army Hall.

Salvation Army circles are rejoicing over the presence in the city of the Lake Division Revival brigade, under the leadership of Ensign and Mrs. Basted. The brigade will be here for three days and will conduct special meetings at the Salvation Army hall, Saturday and Sunday evenings. A genuine good time is anticipated and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Reported for The Gazette

REPORTED BY NORTHERN GRAIN COMPANY, Jan. 3, 1903.

FLOUR—Retail at 50¢-51.00 per sack.
WHEAT—65¢-70¢
Rye—44¢-45¢ per bu.
BARLEY—34¢-35¢ per bu.
CORN—Shelled, 40¢.
OATS—25¢-26¢.
CLOVER SEED—\$3.50-\$4.00 100 lbs.
TIMOTHY SEED—\$2.50-\$2.75 100 lbs.
FEED—\$20.00 per ton.
BRAN—\$15.00 per ton.
HULLING—\$10.00 per ton.
MEAL—\$18.00 per ton.
HAY—\$8 to \$10 per ton.
STRAW—\$4.00-\$5.00 per ton.
POTATOES—45¢-50¢.
BEANS—\$2.25 to \$2.50 per bushel.
EGGS—45¢-50¢ dozen for fresh.
BUTTER—Dairy, 28¢; creamery, 32¢ per lb.
LARD—Green, 51¢-52¢.
WOOL—16¢-18¢.
FELTS—Quotable at 20¢-25¢.
CATTLE—\$2.00-\$2.50 per lb.
HOGS—\$1.50-\$2.00 per lb.
LAMBS—40¢-45¢ per lb.
VEAL CALVES—35¢ per lb.

For a genuine good, try Mrs. Smith's famous Pancake Flour, ready in a jiffy. Your grocer has it on hand.

A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Green's warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

J. P. Baker, Geo. E. King & Co.,
E. B. Helm, Smith's Pharmacy,
People's Drug Co., H. E. Tenous & Co.,
Janesville, Wis.

That sealbrown taste of a canton fannel tongue speaks from the liver and tells you to take Rocky Mountain Tea at night, genuine 35 cents. Smith's Pharmacy.

Excursion Rates to State Dairymen's Convention at Champaign, Ill.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates January 6 and 7, limited to return until January 9, 1903, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

MANAGER HOUGH MARRIED IN EAST

Inventor of the Vudor Porch Shade
Weds a Butler, New York,
Girl.

Mr. Azel Clarence Hough and Miss Harriet E. Viele were married Wednesday at 2:00 p. m., at the Viele homestead in Butler, the Rev. Hugh Russell Frazer of Cornwall-on-Hudson, brother-in-law to the groom, being the officiating clergyman. The house was elaborately decorated with ground pine, holly and roses. Only a few guests aside from the immediate members of the bride and groom's families were invited. Mr. and Mrs. Hough will be the guests of friends in Buffalo, for a few days and will reach their future home in Janesville, Wisconsin, the first of next week. Both the bride and groom belong to old and prominent families.

Mr. Azel C. Hough was educated at Cornell University, is an inventor and has a score of patents to his credit.

GOLDEN WEDDING AT COUNTRY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Kemmerer Have
Lived in the Same Home
Fifty Years.

One of the most notable New Year's day gatherings was the one held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Kemmerer in the town of Turtle. It was a large family reunion and was held in honor of the golden wedding of the host and hostess. Thirty-five relatives shared the pleasures of the day and Mr. and Mrs. Kemmerer rejoiced in the presence of their four children and six grand children. The children of the aged couple are Mary Dixon, of Milwaukee, Mrs. Addie Mot, of Shoreline, and William and Arthur Kemmerer of the town of Turtle.

The entire day was devoted to the celebration and an unusual pleasure was contributed by the fact that the farm homestead in which the entire family was assembled Thursday is the same home to which Reuben Kemmerer took his bride fifty years ago. Mrs. Kemmerer was formerly Miss Elizabeth Wemple and both she and her husband were residents of Rock county before their marriage which was celebrated in the town of Turtle.

An elaborate dinner and supper was served and during the day photographs were taken of the venerable couple. A family group was also taken which will be a valued souvenir of the occasion. Among the relatives present were Charles W. Kemmerer and Louis Kemmerer, of this city, nephews of the host and hostess.

Surprised by Friends.
The enjoyable day had a happy climax for which neither the host nor hostess were responsible. Early in the evening the home was invaded by about one hundred of their neighbors and friends who had come to extend their congratulations. The surprise was complete but the newcomers received a cordial welcome and the evening was merrily spent. During their long residence in Rock county, Mr. and Mrs. Kemmerer have established themselves high in the esteem of all who know them and a host of friends wish for them continued health and happiness for many years to come.

CHARLES CONRAD INVENTS A MEASURE

Simple Affair That Will Facilitate
the Work of Busy Grocery-
men.

Charles B. Conrad has invented a measure for use around grocery and feed stores and other places where a measure is in use most of the time that does away with having a measure for each quantity from a peck down to a quart.

The measure is a galvanized iron cylinder with a loose bottom. The inside of the cylinder has projections in it to hold the bottom in place at different points so that all is necessary to change it from one quantity to another, is to tip the bottom up edge ways and slide it up to the required notches, and turn it down flat. It is practically indestructible and will be found a great convenience. Mr. Conrad has not put them on the market as yet but is having a few made for trial in some of the stores in this city.

RUSK LYCEUM GAVE ANOTHER GOOD HOP

East Side Odd Fellows' Hall the Scene
of a Pleasant High School
Dancing Party.

About sixty couples attended the dance given by the Rusk Lyceum on Friday evening. It was held in the East Side Odd Fellows' hall and attracted a number of college and university students who are home for the holidays. The High school boys who had it in charge are congratulating themselves that financially they more than came out even on the party. Baldwin & Rehfeld's orchestra furnished excellent music. Among the out of town guests were Miss Maud Annin of Beloit and R. Davis of Chicago.

COCKING MAIN WON BY BELOIT

Line City Birds Win the Deciding
Battle—Considerable Money
Changed Hands.

An interesting cocking main was pulled off Wednesday night at a place adjacent to the Interurban line. The main was between Janesville and Beloit cocks and was won by Beloit getting the odd battle. The main consisted of seven fights for \$10 a battle and \$50 on the total result. It was a badly contested battle and stood 3 to 3 at the end of the sixth fight. The seventh and the main went to Beloit.

Several shako battles were pulled off outside the main, and in these the Janesville birds were generally victorious. Considerable money won on the main and Beloit men were not much money ahead.

New Through Sleeping Cars Between
Chicago & Sault Ste Marie

Via the North-Western Line. Beginning Monday, December 29th, a new line of through sleeping cars will be placed in service between Chicago and "The Soo" via the Chicago & Northwestern and the M., St. P. & S. Ste. M. Ry's, leaving Chicago daily except Sunday, at 8:00 p. m., Milwaukee 10:15 p. m., via Oshkosh, Green Bay, Menominee and Escanaba, arriving at Marquette about 7 a. m., and Ste. St. Marie soon after 10:00 a. m. Dining car service. Sleeping car southbound will leave the Soo at 3 p. m., daily except Sunday, arriving at Chicago at 7:30 a. m.

CHURCH NOTICES.

St. Mary's Church—First mass, 8:30 a. m.; second mass, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotion, 3:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 9 a. m. Rev. Wm. A. Goebel, pastor.

St. Patrick's Church—First mass 7:30 a. m.; second mass 9:00 a. m.; third mass 10:30 a. m. Evening devotion 7:30 p. m. Rev. E. M. McGinnity, dean.

Trinity Church—Holy communion 7:30 a. m. Late morning service and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Even song at 7:30 p. m.

Christ Church—Second Sunday after Christmas. Litany sermon and Holy Communion, 10:30 a. m. Sermon topic: "How Can Christ Be Manifested to the Gentiles Here and Now?" Sunday school, 12:00 m. Intercessory service at 7:00 p. m. Special sermon to business men. "Business and Christian Principles." Tuesday, Feast of the Epiphany service at 9:00 a. m. Friday service at 7 p. m.

Court Street M. E. Church—Service in the morning at 10:30. The pastor, J. H. Tippet, will preach from the theme: "Who Shall Separate Comfort for the New Year." Class meeting and Sunday school at noon. Epworth League at 6 o'clock. Topic: Time for Meditation. The Morning Watch. In the evening at 7 o'clock the pastor will preach from the subject: "Sufferers in Life." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mary Kimball Mission—106 South Jackson street. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. Topic: "The Groan in The Garden." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the evening's service. Meetings on every evening this week. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The Presbyterian Church—J. T. Henderson, pastor. Morning worship. Subject: "The Power We Need and What It Will Do." Evening worship at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Two New England Monuments and Their Lessons." Sunday school at 12 m. Junior Endeavor at 3:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:00 p. m. Subject: "How to Get a Fresh Start." A welcome to all.

The Baptist Church—Richard M. Vaughan, pastor. 10:30 morning worship. Sermon "A Women's Gift." Communion and reception of members. 12 Bible school. 4:00 Junior meeting. 6:00 Christian Endeavor society. Topic: "How to Get a Fresh Start." Eph. 4:22-32. 7:00 Gospel service. Sermon: "Vows: A New Year Message." A special musical program will be given. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Services are held Sunday at 10:30 a. m., Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at Phoenix block, West Milwaukee street. Sunday topic, "God." Reading room open daily from 2 to 4 p. m., except Sunday.

Cloak Prices Have Dropped.

A great line of all the new garments in the desirable Monte Carlo styles and effects. Colors in black, tan, castor and Oxford. Excellent coats and unquestioned values at

\$10 and \$12.

Regular prices were up to \$20.

Simpson's DRY GOODS. HAYES BLOCK.

Nasal CATARRH
In all its stages there should be cleanliness.

Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail. Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 36 Warren Street, New York.

MISS MONIE BOWEY,

No. 38 Perry Street,
DETROIT, MICHIGAN.

A couple of winters ago I slipped on a frozen sidewalk and fell flat on my back. On being examined I found that I had sustained internal injuries which laid me up for more than two months. After that I noticed that I had pains in the back and groin which I never had before. I doctored and doctored for several months but as the pains increased instead of growing better I decided that I was not having the right treatment. Reading in the papers of the wonderful cures performed by Wine of Cardui I wrote to one of the parties and received a very satisfactory reply and I immediately sent for some. In a very short time I felt generally better and after seven weeks faithful use I was once more well and strong. I have never had a sick hour since and I daily bless your splendid medicine.

WINE OF CARDUI is one medicine that should always be kept on hand in every home for immediate use when female weakness first makes its appearance. Miss Bowey's painful and dangerous accident would not have resulted so seriously had she taken Wine of Cardui promptly.

WINE of CARDUI A million suffering women have found relief in Wine of Cardui.

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All \$11.50, \$12.50, \$13.50, \$15.50 **\$10.**
\$16 Garments now.....

All \$18, \$20, \$22.50, \$25, \$27, **\$15.**
Garments now.....

Just Two Prices

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No More, No Less.

Now is your time to buy when we can show you a good assortment to select from. Every Garment in our stock is a late style, Monte Carlo Coat.

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Strictly vegetable, perfectly harmless, sure to accomplish DESIRED RESULTS. Greatest known female remedy. Price, \$1.50 per bottle. CAUTION Beware of counterfeits and imitations. The genuine is put up only in paste-board cartons with fac-simile signature on side of the bottle, thus: Send for Circular to WILLIAMS' MED. CO., Sole Agents, Cleveland, Ohio. PEOPLE'S DRUG COMPANY AND SMITH'S PHARMACY.

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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST
Partly cloudy, cooler tonight and fair Sunday.

WORK AND BE HAPPY
"Well, I'm dead tired doing nothing." The young man stretched and yawned and looked across to the other side of the hearth, where his companion was nodding over an open book, tired out from a hard day's work.
"Wake up, Jack, and let's do something to kill time."
Jack rubbed the drowsiness out of his eyes, and said in a tone of annoyance:
"You make me a little weary, Tom. You don't know what a hard day's work means, and yet you complain more about being tired than a hod carrier. What you need, man, is hard work. This tired feeling you talk about is a delusion."
"Don't get excited old boy, you know that I am not obliged to work, and I have never discovered that there is any fun in that sort of exercise. You are not working for pleasure Jack."
His companion straightened himself up and said, "Tom, you talk like a parrot. What do you know about genuine pleasure. You live in a selfish world very largely by yourself, and you don't do enough to get up a healthy appetite. As to sleeping, you don't know what natural rest means. It would have been a blessing to you if your father had died poor, or left his money to some college. I tell you there's nothing like hard work to make a man contented and happy."

The two young men were old-time boyhood friends. They had fished in the same streams, played truant on the same teacher, and were chums when they left home to take on responsibility for themselves.
Tom was the son of good fortune, so far as money was concerned, while Jack inherited nothing but a good body, an ambitious mind and a heart inspired by courage.
For a year they had roomed together. Tom had an office, which occupied but little of his time, and he was still waiting for his first case, while Jack was winning success by dint of hard work at the bottom of the ladder in a commercial house.
The one had discovered that hard work was a blessing. The other had never tested its merits, and had no ambition in that direction.

One of the problems that confronts every young man at the opening of the new year, is the problem of work. There has never been a time when this commodity was more abundant or more important, and there has never been a time when the universal demand was more imperative.
The army of tramps that infested the country a few years ago, has melted away, and the hobo today commands neither attention nor sympathy, and yet there are young men in Janesville, as well as all other towns and cities, who are so indolent and lazy, that but for the support of home, they would be classed as juvenile tramps, only lacking age to develop all the graces of the veteran stroller. These boys, many of them, hang around saloons and public loafing places. They swear like pirates and smoke like chimneys, and drink when occasion demands. They become fascinated with slot machines, and other gambling devices, and from simple lack of wholesome employment and hard work are slipping away from every channel of opportunity.

While not incorrigible, it would be a blessing to some of them, if they were placed in a reform school and taught to work. They will be needed for active service in the generation just ahead.
A great deal is said now-a-days about genius, and the impression is more or less popular, that unless a boy can find some employment, to which he is peculiarly adapted by nature, that chances for success are very much against him.
It is doubtless true that genius has much to do with marked success, and that it is helpful, when discovered, in almost any calling, but it is also true, that determination, rather than inspiration, is the foundation of achievement in very large degree. Faithful work always commands recognition and seldom fails of reward.

The boy who is permitted to loaf because any peculiar task is distasteful to him, soon develops genius for a loafer, and the procession never waits for recruits from this class.
The genius for work, hard persistent work, was bequeathed to humanity when the first man and his wife were turned out of the garden to earn bread by sweat and toil.
It was called at the time a punishment for sin and transgression, but when the event occurred the race was in its infancy.
Conditions have changed materially since Adam and his better half were content to sit in the shade and lead a life of indolence and luxury.
It is difficult to imagine what sort of a lot would have fallen to humanity, if the first couple had been obedient, and especially in this age when work of hand and brain is accom-

plishing so much in the way of development.
Speculation along this line would be both useless and profitless. We live in an age when work means righteousness, and a desire to shun it is next door neighbor to crime.
Work is a blessing of the highest order. If the nation was bequeathed today with a fortune large enough so that every citizen could add a life of toil, and adopt a life of ease, America would become a nation of imbeciles in a decade.
The car of progress would suddenly stop, and the backward movement would be so rapid that no record would be possible.
A drayman, in a northern town, had the misfortune some years ago to draw \$25,000 from the Louisiana lottery. He abandoned his occupation, which was making him a comfortable living, built a \$10,000 house, supported a coach and driver, and in three years his money was gone, and he was back driving a dray.
The experience demoralized him and from a life of contentment, he became a disgruntled member of society.

There is nothing like work to heal sorrow. It absorbs the mind, steadies the nerves, and dulls the keen edge of bereavement, as nothing else can.
In these days of organization and consolidation, when capital and labor vie with each other for the strongest compact, a great deal is being said about an eight-hour work day, and the next demand of union labor, will be along this line.
The demand is unreasonable and pernicious from any point of view. It says to 80,000,000 people that less than 2,000,000, or one in forty, propose to ask for special privileges that the masses do not seek, and could not secure if they did.
The great army of merchants, business men, transportation companies and farmers, with all the labor employed in these channels, know nothing about a work day that is regulated by a clock.
While the work runs on time and with monotonous regularity, the every day work of life pays but little attention to any given schedule.
The movement is unfair to labor itself. It says practically that the one and only important thing in life is a strict observance of the hours of labor regardless of consequences. The leaders and agitators, who are responsible for the movement, never take into account the fact, that the man who watches the clock, will never advance beyond the realm of the clock watcher.
The captains of industry are never recruited from the ranks of agitators or disciples of this class.
Contentment is happiness refined, and nothing contributes to it so largely as work. It is the corner stone of the foundation, on which great structures are built, and it is the gateway to life's opportunities. Work and be happy.

A Detroit woman marched into a downtown coal office, the other day, planked down \$7.50 and demanded a ton of coal. When the money and order was refused, she produced a gun and said she was in the habit of having her orders filled. She got the coal.
A Boston enthusiast shipped a ton of coal to a friend in New York, by express. The charges were eight dollars. If he had sent the money there would have been money enough left for a theatre ticket, but Boston coal, like everything else, is superior.

Railway Scares Lions.
Lions have been scared away from the shores of Lake Victoria-Nyanza by the newly-built railway.
Post Check Currency
The persistence with which great numbers of people send small sums of money by mail, notwithstanding the obvious risks of loss, is a sufficient indication of the need of some form of easy and safe remittance of small amounts. It is greatly to the discredit of the government that after so many years of experience with postoffice money orders, the system in use is still unsatisfactory.

There is something like genius in the novel but exceedingly simple proposition to issue small bills with a blank in which the name and address of a payee could be written and thus instantly transform an ordinary bill for \$1 to \$2 into a check or a draft on the government for that amount, payable only to the payee named, but on which he could get his money at any postoffice where he could be identified, as readily as if it were a New York draft for the same amount. Notwithstanding the simplicity of the plan, congress has failed to adopt it. Any enterprising business house to which an improved method of so great value should be suggested would unhesitatingly and enthusiastically adopt it.
"The only valid objections to the plan are that it might make some additional work in the treasury department. If that is a sufficient reason why millions of people should be denied the advantages and conveniences which this simple method offers, the proposition should be abandoned. If not, congress should make short work of the matter. If congressmen take an intelligent interest in the matter long enough to understand what the measure is, we shall soon have the most important and widely appreciated improvement to our postal system that has been made in many decades."

Citizens should request their representatives in congress to see that more convenient money is furnished the people.—Case of Comment, Rochester, N. Y.

A Miracle in China.
Actors in China are very well paid, but are much despised. No actor or son of an actor, says the Chicago News, can compete at the public examinations for the literary degree which is the doorway to public office, and consequently the actor's profession, when once adopted, is vital to those who follow it.
An English doctor was called to attend a young actor whose leg was in a bad condition from careless treatment. The foot had been amputated as a result of compound fracture caused by a fall on the stage. Filth and neglect had done the rest, and there was very little chance of the man's recovery. Still the doctor felt justified in taking that chance and therefore amputated the man's leg. To the surprise of the doctor, the leg healed by first intention, and in a few weeks the actor was ready to resume work. The doctor fitted him with an artificial leg, and his good fortune began.
He at once undertook a part where his leg was knocked off, to the horror of the audience. After the apparent accident he was carried off the stage and presently reappeared, walking as well as before.
The Chinese are unfamiliar with artificial legs, and each time the dramatic incident occurred they regarded it as a miracle.

Aroused His Curiosity.
The agitated young man began:
"Mr. Brockman, you may have noticed that I have been a frequent caller at your house for the last year or more."
"Yes," replied the busy merchant, "I have seen you there now and then, I remember."
"You will not be surprised therefore when I tell you that I want to marry your daughter."
"But—"
"Let me anticipate any objections you might have, Mr. Brockman. I am of good family, I am not dissipated, I have a good business and am abundantly able to support a wife. All I ask is—"
"But, young man—"
"I can bring testimonials to prove all I say. I have never wanted any other girl, and—"
"But—"
"And never shall want any other girl. From the first it has been a case of—"
"Look here, young man, let me get in a word. Which one of my four daughters is it you want?"—Chicago Tribune.

Duties of the "Pet" Sheep.
Out at the abattoir the "pets" among the sheep may be distinguished by their superior height and shapeliness and by the intelligence of their expression. The pets are murderers. In the other pens sheep come and go by thousands to the slaughter, but the pets remain. They are trained to lead their fellows to death, and they do this work well, for they have by reason of their strength, intelligence and beauty a great influence. When the butchers of the abattoir wish to slaughter a flock of sheep word is passed to the pets, and they indifferently, calmly, saunter in among the flock, gain their confidence and esteem and then take their places at their head and lead them to the slaughter house.—Philadelphia Record.

The Dwarf Palm of Algeria.
The dwarf palm, which furnishes considerable quantities of fiber, grows in great profusion in Algeria and is one of the principal obstacles to the clearing of the land, so thickly does it grow and so difficult to pull up. Its roots, in shape resembling carrots, penetrate into the ground to the depth of a yard or more, and when its stem only is cut it sprouts out again almost immediately. As its name indicates, this palm is very small and can only attain a certain height when protected, as in the Arab cemeteries, for example.

Palms in Italy.
"I see financial troubles ahead of you," said the gypsy as she scrutinized the lines in Softleigh's palm.
"What is the cause thereof?" asked the innocent youth.
"I see a dark woman," continued the dealer in futures, "who is destined to cause you trouble in money matters."
"As I expected," growled the callow youth. "That washerwoman is going to hold my laundry for ransom again. Oh, woe is me!"—Chicago News.

Tommy Won.
Two brothers went to the same school. They were absent about a fortnight, and then one returned alone.
"Where is your brother Thomas?" asked the master.
"Please, sir, he's laid up with a sprained arm. We were trying to see which could lean out of the window farthest, and Tommy won."

She Made Him.
Mrs. Tower—Frankly, John Tower, I think you are the nearest man I ever saw.
Mr. Tower—I wouldn't say that, Gusti; you know you've said hundreds of times that you have been the making of me.—Boston Transcript.

Escaped With His Life.
"Did Biggs have any luck hunting lions in Africa?"
"Yes. Great luck."
"How?"
"Didn't meet any lions."—Washington Star.

They Cost Money.
She—Certainly you have some friends.
He—Yes, but it takes every cent I can rake and scrape.—Town Topics.

GIVES HOME TO THE Y. M. C. A.
Studebaker Company to Spend \$260,000 for South Bend Branch.
South Bend, Ind., Jan. 3.—The South Bend branch of the Y. M. C. A. has formally accepted the generous gift of a home which the Studebaker Brothers Manufacturing Company recently decided to make to the local association. John M. Studebaker will expend \$260,000 in the erection of a fine modern Y. M. C. A. building with every up-to-date convenience to make it a model home for the association and a monument to the donors. The site is valued at \$60,000, making the sum total of the gift over a quarter of a million. The home is in the nature of a thank offering for the material prosperity vouchsafed the Studebaker company, which has just closed its fiftyth year.

MODERN WOODMEN TO CONVENE
State Camp Will Be in Session at Bloomington May 6.
Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 3.—The Modern Woodmen of America will hold their state meeting in this city May 6, and a meeting has been held here to perfect arrangements for that occasion. The meeting promises to be one of the largest which the order has held. There are 150,000 Woodmen in Illinois. Readjustment of rates will be one of the questions before the state camp. Headquarters for the delegates will be at the Illinois, but sessions will be held at the Coliseum, and it will come near taxing the capacity of that structure to seat the delegates and visitors.

PENSION SYSTEM FOR READING
President Baer Announces the New Plan of the Road.
Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 3.—Announcement was made by George F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, that the pension system of the company which was approved by the board of directors several weeks ago had gone into effect on New Year's day. The rules provide that all employees who have been thirty years in continuous employment shall on reaching the age of 70 be pensioned and that employees of the same length of service who are 65 to 69 years old may be retired and pensioned.

May March on Peking.
Paris, Jan. 3.—According to the latest reports from Mongolia, Prince Tuan, the exiled anti-foreigner, has concentrated 50,000 men and joined forces with General Tung Fu Hsiang, the notorious boxer leader, with the object of marching on Peking.

3 LINES
25 CENTS

It's an economical way of reaching the general public. It's inexpensive, too, and a method that hundreds of people have found most profitable.

The following letters await owners in The Gazette counting room: "L. L." "T. F." "Sheep Dealer" "K."

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No washing required. Small family. J. L. Bostwick, 105 St. Lawrence Place.

WANTED—Tobacco smokers to work Monday morning, January 6, at warehouse, corner Mineral Point Ave. and Pearl St. J. T. De Forest, Frank Britt, foreman.

WANTED—Sixty sorters at Balnes tobacco warehouse Monday morning.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Inquire of Mrs. Hamilton Richardson, 101 Prospect avenue.

WANTED—Girl to iron. Riverside Steam Laundry.

WANTED—Young lady to keep books. Inquire of Wm. Kammer, corner Center and Western avenues.

WANTED—25 tobacco sorters at M. H. Sovet's warehouse. Inquire of Lorban at the warehouse.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Inquire of Hamilton Richardson, 101 Prospect avenue.

PENSIONERS—I shall be at my office, No. 25 West Milwaukee street, early Monday morning, January 6th, 1903. Angie J. Kins, Attorney and Notary Public.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—To work on Turnes John Foster Co., Heintz, Wis.

WANTED—Second-hand furnaces. Will pay cash. Address Fred Guernsey, care of Gazette.

FOR SALE.

ROCK COUNTY MAPS or map books, \$1 each at the Gazette office.

FOR SALE, at a Bargain—A second hand safe good as new. Inquire at 33 S. Main St.

\$35.00—Wm buy small, but profitable business if bought at once. Address G. W. Gazette office.

FOR SALE—Cows, \$1 per load. Doty Mill, S. E. River street. Phone 230.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A house at 209 Jackson street. Inquire of Wm. Ross.

FOR SALE—To clean out remainder of stock country maps and map books, they are being sold at \$1 for choice at Gazette office. Big bargain.

FOR SALE—Old papers to lay under carpets. 5 cents a package at Gazette office.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Store on North Main street, formerly occupied by C. D. Stevens. Inquire of F. L. Stevens, Postoffice Block.

FOR RENT—One, two, or three rooms, furnished for light housekeeping, if desired. Inquire at 164 Washington street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LOST—A silver belt clasp, minus pin. Finder return to this office and receive reward.

PERSONAL—Wealthy, refined, kind hearted gentleman, with beautiful home, being lonely, will marry for love and companionship. Address "Mr. Edwards" No. 715 Locust St., Room 62, St. Louis, Mo.

CLAIRVOYANT, trance medium. Readings on all affairs, free; daily from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Call at 401 South Jackson street.

HORSES wintered at the Buckleton farm; one of the finest barns in the state; individual stalls, warm barn, grain and careful attention. George Woodruff, administrator.

The Racket
Shows the largest variety of everyday useful things in small wares at less than usual prices.
Bargains
all through the store. Savings in School Supplies.
RIDER'S



DURING January, 1903, I will sell you all groceries at cost to reduce stock. 500 bbls of new Salt, 90c per bbl. 1000 sacks best Patent Flour made. Canned Goods of all kinds at cost. All grades of Tobacco below cost. Potatoes, onions, cabbage, sauer kraut. Cheaper than the cheapest.

W. J. VANKIRK, River St.

The Greatest Room in the World is Room For Improvement
Electricity for Light and Power is an up-to-date improvement that deserves attention. For the next three months we offer special inducements for house wiring. If you are thinking of having your house equipped for incandescent lights you will save money by having it done now.

Janesville Electric Company.

HANDSOME RUGS
made from worn ingrain and Brussels Carpets, any size desired. Write to Bababoo Towel Mills, "Rug Dept." for circular. Only first class turned out. BABABOO TOWEL MILLS, Bar 11re. W

Peanut
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15c lb.

MADE FRESH DAILY.
A very tempting Candy.
PEANUT BALLS 5c EACH.
HOKEY-POKEY, 20c lb.
NUT CARAMELS, 15c lb.

Janesville Candy Kitchen
157 West Milwaukee St

MORE....

Chocolate
WARE..

Several large pieces in Creamers and Sugars at 10c. Each
5 & 10c STORE
Frank Hinterschied, Prop., 121 W. Mil. St

Fire Destroys Game Cocks.
Konsosa, Wis., Jan. 3.—The birds of the Kohlmann Game Cock company were destroyed by fire, 160 perishing. Many of the birds were valued at \$100 each, while none of the cocks were valued at less than \$10.

Mexican War Veteran.
Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 3.—Ellis Ellis, a veteran of the Mexican war, and who captured the Mexican general, La Vela, after a personal conflict, died at Independence, Mo. He was 80 years old.

Great Cloak Doings.

There are as handsome garments in our cloak room as when the season began. Many of the finest styles are here yet. We upset the prices on all now and out the price on every garment in half. These reductions apply to everything in the cloak stock—Cloth Coats for ladies, misses and children, Cloth Capes, Plush Capes, Fur Capes, Tailor-Made Suits and Separate Skirts.

This Week

also offers reduced prices on all lines of **Millinery**, such as trimmed and untrimmed Hats, Feathers, Ornaments, Fancy Ribbons, etc.

Blankets...

Thirds in White Blankets, worth \$1.75 at

\$1.19

Great Sale of Isabel Petticoats From \$1.00 Up.



Wood to Burn

100 cords large white Oak for chunk and air tight stoves. Also plenty of dry second growth Oak.

Pocahontas

C O A L

is the best smokeless. We have several cars, egg size. Try our Red Jacket, Black Band or Hickory. Can be used anywhere.

G. W. SAGER,
Both Phones. North Bluff St. Both Phones 111

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ONLY 20 DAYS More

25 Good Photos 25c
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WELSH
Open Sundays Janesville

UNIQUE PLAN OF LOCAL COMPANY

SALESMEN MAY JOIN TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLAR CLUB.

LARGE CASH PRIZE OFFERED

Traveling Representatives of Parker Pen Company Were Guests at Elaborate Dinner.

As an outcome of a banquet given to the traveling salesmen in the employ of the Parker Pen company at W. F. Palmer's home, 452 Court street, Friday night. A unique business scheme known as the Twenty Thousand Dollar club was projected. Membership in this club depends on the business done during the present year and will be decided Jan. 1, 1904. Any traveling salesman in the company's employ who sells goods amounting to \$20,000 or more during the year, is eligible to membership in the club and this membership carries with it a cash prize of \$300 for every salesman proving his right to belong.

Dinner Guests
The gathering at the home of Mr. Palmer was a very happy one. At 6:30 o'clock an elaborate nine course dinner was served, covers being laid for twelve gentlemen. Those who were present were W. F. Palmer, president of the Parker Pen company, George S. Parker, secretary-treasurer of the company; C. F. Little, superintendent of the shipping department; W. P. Denniston, superintendent of the manufacturing department; and salesmen H. J. Thomas, Seattle, C. C. Bennett, Denver, H. F. Webb, Minneapolis; C. M. Fleck and H. V. Allen, Janesville; W. F. Fisher, Des Moines, M. T. Fish, New York and W. H. Colling, Winfield, Kansas.

Brief Talks
After the dinner there were several brief talks of a business nature, each of the salesmen telling his methods and giving some personal experiences. Some excellent suggestions were given. There were also brief talks by Messrs. Palmer and Parker and during Mr. Parker's talk the company's plan for the Twenty Thousand Dollar club was presented.

An Annual Event
The annual dinner for their salesmen has become an established feature of the policy of the Parker Pen company. The firm not only entertains its representatives handsomely while in the city but pays their expenses incurred in coming to Janesville and returning to their headquarters. This was the second annual dinner, the traveling salesmen having been entertained at Mr. Parker's home last year.

DARNING NEEDLE TAKEN FROM BODY

Carl Blum Swallowed It While Drinking a Glass of Water Wednesday.

Carl Blum, an employee of the Janesville Barb Wire Company, underwent a surgical operation on Thursday and had a darning needle three inches long removed from his thigh. The peculiar part of the affair is that Blum is supposed to have taken the needle into his system through his mouth. He was taking a drink of water Wednesday night at his home and felt a peculiar sensation in his throat like some substance besides the water had passed down it. He thought nothing of it at the time, but Thursday he was taken with severe pains in his stomach and later in the lower part of his body. Dr. Farnsworth was called and examined Blum and concluded that some foreign substance had worked its way through the stomach and was resting on the thigh. He took Blum to his office where the needle was soon located and removed. Blum is of the opinion that someone put the needle in the glass and that he did not notice it when he went to drink. There are numerous instances of needles passing from one part of the body to the other, of persons who have got them into their systems but it usually takes a longer time than in this case.

L. S. HILLABRANDT SUFFERS A STROKE

His Entire Right Side is Paralyzed, and His Condition is Critical.

L. S. Hillabrandt suffered a stroke of paralysis, Friday morning, the entire right side being affected. He is in a critical condition at his home, 7 Glen Etta street as a result of the shock, his right eye being blinded and his arm and leg being deadened and practically helpless. His power of speech is not gone although the unfortunate man talks with difficulty.

WANTS TO WRESTLE BEELL OR YOUSEFF

Dan Murphy, Rocky Mountain Champion, Will Be at Ringside Wednesday to Challenge Winner.

Dan Murphy, "Champion of the Rocky Mountain States" is looking for an opportunity to meet the winner of the Yousseff-Beell match. In a letter from Beloit to the Gazette he says that he will be at the ringside on Wednesday evening and will then challenge the victor to a match to take place within ten days, the contest to be for the whole or any part of five hundred dollars. Either Beloit or Janesville will satisfy him as the place for the bout.

Making the lowest prices in town on cloaks creates a brisk business in this department. T. P. Burns.

NOTICE.

The Gazette is willing and pleased to publish all notices of lodge or society meetings, but it has found it necessary to make the rule that all such notices must be written and left at the office before 11 o'clock of the day they are to be published. In the future no notices, except paid ones, will be received over the telephone.

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LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT
Janesville Council, No. 108, U. C. T., at East Side Odd Fellows' hall. Brick Layers and Masons' Union at their hall on North River street.

FUTURE EVENTS
Special services by the Lake Division Revival Brigade at Salvation Army hall this evening and tomorrow.

Services at the local churches on Sunday morning and evening.
Mass meeting for men, women and children, under the auspices of the Francis Murphy Temperance League at the Y. M. C. A. building on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.
Wrestling match between Yousseff, the Terrible Turk, and Fred Beell, at the rink Wednesday evening.
The "Rivets" presented by the Jeffersons at the Myers Grand on Tuesday evening.
Regular meeting of the Social Union club at the Y. M. C. A. building on Tuesday evening.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Wanted—Sixty girls Monday morning to sort tobacco, at F. S. Barnes' warehouse.

Good music at the rink tonight. Wanted—Delivery boy. Good wages. Apply tonight. Dedrick Bros.

J. M. Bostwick & Sons 14 day reduction sale begins Monday.

Wanted—Seventy-five girls on Monday morning to sort tobacco. Greene's Warehouse, opposite C. M. & St. P. depot.

J. M. Bostwick & Sons will begin Monday a fourteen day reduction sale. An important January event.

Prices on cloaks of all kinds have been reduced this week at the store of Bort, Bailey & Co. so as to make room for spring stock.

Bear in mind the wrestling match on Wednesday evening. Yousseff the Turk, and Fred Beell.

Every member of the W. U. L. L. is requested to meet Sunday afternoon at Assembly hall, at 2:30 p. m., Jan. 4th.

T. P. Burns is closing out an odd lot of underwear at a mere fraction of their former prices.

Prices on cloaks of all kinds have been reduced this week at the store of Bort, Bailey & Co. so as to make room for spring stock.

J. M. Bostwick & Sons start a January reduction sale Monday. It will prove a great buying opportunity. Liberal reduction on many goods to get the stock down before spring.

There will be a Gideon meeting at the Congregational church room Sunday, January 4 at 4 p. m.

M. F. Mayhew, Sec. Plan to attend the wrestling match to be held at the rink on Wednesday evening between Yousseff, the Terrible Turk, and Fred Beell.

Regular meeting of Rock River High No. 71 I. O. T. M., Monday evening 7:30, Jan. 5th at East Side Odd Fellows hall. Every member is requested to be present.

Twenty-seven dollar cloaks are now being offered by Bort, Bailey & Co. at the \$15 price. The line is complete and only the latest styles are offered in this clearing sale.

The Woman's Union Label League will hold an open installation of officers on Jan. 5th at Assembly hall. Every union man and family is cordially invited to attend. After the installation a short program will be given, after which dancing will be in order.

Wanted—Twenty-five tobacco sorters at Souliman's tobacco warehouse, West Milwaukee street.

L. H. Tarrant, a successful druggist of Milwaukee, is building a large lab building in Milwaukee.

Clark was one of Helmstreet's drug clerks and is visiting him today. By the way there is a vacancy in Helmstreet's drug store for a young man to learn the business.

Charles Beene, of Neenah, state inspector for the Wisconsin Telephone company, who has been in charge of the office in this city since the resignation of Manager Slater, returned home today and Walter Gallon of Milwaukee took charge of the office. The new manager comes well recommended and no doubt he will be liked by the patrons of the company.

MODEL SHOE STORE

Will Take The Place Of The Present Wide Awake Store

Model in every respect will be the new shoe store that will occupy the present quarters of the Wide Awake store in the Tallman block, corner of Milwaukee and River streets. This new and strictly up-to-date establishment will be conducted under the management of D. J. Luby & Co. This firm is by no means a new one to the shoe buying public of Janesville and vicinity. For a number of years Mr. Luby has been engaged in the shoe business in the Bower City and of late has been connected with the Spencer store on the bridge. Within the next few days carpenters, painters and paper hangers will begin work of remodeling the new store and from one end to the other no expense will be spared to make it one of the most inviting shoe stores in this section of the state. Handsome and costly fixtures will also add beauty to the place. The line of shoes to be carried will be in both medium priced and high class. With only best wishes for unlimited success the new store will open the opening of the new store.

Van Gelder—Dalton
Mrs. Bessie Van Gelder, of the town of Center, and Walter A. Dalton, of this city, were married in Rockford, Wednesday afternoon. The bride is well known throughout Rock county. The groom is a young business man and is the local representative of the Deering Harvester company, having his headquarters with Tarrant & Kemmerer. Mr. and Mrs. Dalton will reside in this city.

APPLEBY NAMES HIS ASSISTANTS

MEN WHO WILL ENFORCE LAWS ARE SELECTED.

IRA FISHER UNDER SHERIFF

Wallace Cochran Will Be Deputy Sheriff at Janesville; Scheibel at Beloit.

Sheriff Elect George M. Appleby, has moved his family and household goods from Beloit and will be fully settled by the time he takes possession next Monday noon. He has announced his list of appointments to be as follows:—

Under-sheriff—Ira Fisher of Evansville.
Wallace Cochran, deputy at Janesville.
R. G. Scheibel, deputy at Beloit.
C. F. Bradley, deputy at Clinton.
R. J. Maltress, deputy at Edgerton. He has appointed as his turnkey, his nephew, Emmett LeRoy Graves, of Beloit. In appointing Marshall Scheibel of Beloit, deputy, Mr. Appleby has followed the usual custom of appointing the chief of police as deputy sheriff.

FELL FROM RAFT INTO ROCK RIVER

Pile Driver Belonging to John Peters Tipped Over This Morning—No Casualties.

Contractor John Peters had a cold job on his hands today to rescue the heavy weight of his pile driver from the bottom of Rock river, just south of the west end of the Court street bridge.

Mr. Peters has had a pile driver and a crew at work at this point driving a row of piles along the property of the Janesville Machine company. He had nearly completed his job and had but three or four more piles to drive when the accident occurred about half past ten this morning. The men had just finished driving a pile and had started to move the driver along to the next place when a guy rope slipped letting the driver fall out into the river. Fortunately the men had warning and succeeded in getting out of harm's way before it fell. It took a lot of hard hard to get it back onto the platform again and in shape for use.

Reminder
Advancement is the order of the age. To commence the new year right you should first see that your personal adornments are of the best for its best. The greatest perfection in the art of laundrying has been developed at the Riverside. Fifteen years' experience and the best machinery and supplies on the market today enables my laundry to produce results not obtained by any competitor in the state. If you don't believe this send your next order and judge for yourself. Both 'phones.

Yours very truly,
Riverside Steam Laundry,
C. J. Myhr, Prop.

C. C. BENNETT GREET'S FRIENDS

Former Janesville Man is Visiting Relatives For Two Weeks

C. C. Bennett is visiting relatives and greeting old friends in this city, his former home. Mr. Bennett, who is a traveling salesman for the Parker Pen Company, with headquarters at Denver, came to Janesville to attend the banquet given by the company last evening. He will remain here about two weeks. Mrs. Bennett and children expected to accompany Mr. Bennett but were prevented owing to the fact that one of the children is suffering with whooping cough.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Court Street M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. S. C. Burnham, 58 Hyatt St., next Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock. A large attendance is desired as a change of the time of meeting is to be considered.

L. B. Carlo & Son's warehouse will be opened Monday morning to those who have applied for work. Also other sorters wanted.

A FEW DOS'S.

of Smith's Laxative Cold Cure will cure and prevent a cold in the head. Guaranteed or money refunded. Price 21 cents; 5 boxes \$1.00. Sent by mail on receipt of price. Smith's Pharmacy, Kodaks and supplies. Two Registered Pharmacists.

PIANO TUNING

I am prepared to tune and repair Pianos of all makes. Have had years of experience and can guarantee satisfaction. Orders left at Y. M. C. A. building will receive careful attention.

F. A. LEMERE.

NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

THE ROCK COUNTY TELEPHONE CO.

Will issue a new directory of subscribers in January. Order your 'Phone now and be on the list. We furnish free metallic circuits with the latest and best instruments.

Prompt, courteous and efficient service. This is the HOME company and you should be a subscriber.

Shall soon have 1,000 subscribers in this city. Residence Rate Only 5 Cents Per Day.

Call up 'Phone 901.
Rock County Telephone Co.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Gen. Steving and wife and Burt Steving and wife of Harvard, Ill., are the guests of their father, Robert Lillburn of Emerald Grove, was in the city today on business. Charles Dearborn of Chicago is the guest of his uncle, J. B. Dearborn. Orville Morse was in Albion, Wis., today on business.

Ben Benson, W. J. Bennett and H. A. Johnson of Whitewater spent New Year's in this city.

Charles B. Withington was able to be down town today after a severe illness. His many friends are pleased to see him about the streets again.

Miss Harriet Hudson of Calumet, Michigan is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. O. S. Morse, 106 Dodge street.

Mark Farrell of New Orleans is visiting in this city and calling on former acquaintances.

Miss Fannie Ryckman was able to resume her position in the register of deeds office yesterday after a ten days' illness.

Ethel Frost, Blanche Crow, Maggie Gillet and John W. Hoag were in the city today from Evansville.

County Treasurer Miles Rice today transferred his balance from the Rock County National bank to the Merchants' and Mechanics' Savings bank, they being the highest bidders for the county deposit this year.

Fred Winslow, 118 Park street is sick with an attack of scarlet fever. The house is in quarantine.

Leave City

George L. Hatch, the popular harpist of Smith's orchestra has given up his position with that organization and will enter the employ of the Washington Life Insurance company as special agent for Illinois with headquarters at Chicago. He will go to Chicago Monday to assume his new position, but will leave his family here in the city until spring. During the last eight years while with Smith's orchestra, Mr. Hatch has become well known, and has many warm friends in all sections of the state, who will miss him when the orchestra next visits their city. He will be succeeded in the orchestra by Chas. Kendall of Beloit.

WHITE CLOUD FLOUR.

Stock is getting low. Better buy at once. Remember this is strictly a first class Patent, (the best the mill makes), not a second class patent or straight as is usually sold at this price.

90c a sack.

Try Ralston Pancake

Flour or Old Times

Self Rising

Buckwheat

10c Packakge

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Dedrick Bros.

Hot Water Bottles

Are a great comfort this zero weather. 2 quart size in the guaranteed kind, \$1.00.

McCue & Buss, The Druggists.

BELOIT DOCTORS CAN COME OFTEN

TO ATTEND MEETING OF COUNTY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

WILL HOLD THE NEXT SESSION

Dr. E. C. Helm of Beloit To Be the Leader—Visitors Can Come on Electric Road.

For the first time in its history the Rock County Medical association is in a position to be able to take in members from other cities than Janesville, who can attend the meetings of the organization without inconvenience. In order that Beloit physicians may show even more interest in the next meeting will be held at Beloit.

Friday evening the January meeting of the association was held under the leadership of Dr. M. A. Cunningham. All of the addresses were carefully prepared and were attentively received. The subject brought forth lively discussion which was continued by many of the auditors and speakers after the session had adjourned.

Among those present were ten Beloit doctors, two of whom participated in the program. Half a dozen of them came to the city in time for supper at the Myers house. The rest took a later car on the Interurban.

Nearly all of Beloit's physicians joined the association. As one of them remarked: "We have always said that we would become members of the association as soon as we could attend the meetings without losing an entire night for the sake of one evening's pleasure." Now that the Interurban had abolished the objection stated, there remained nothing to hinder them further.

On the first Friday of February will be held the next meeting and it will take place in Beloit. Dr. E. C. Helm will be the leader and will choose his own topic. A number of the local doctors expect to return the visit made by the Line City men.

Doctors I. Buckridge, A. C. Helm, L. F. Bennett, E. C. Helm, S. Bell, L. Thompson, W. D. Cook, H. O. Rockwell, W. J. Allen, and D. R. Conner were the visitors from Beloit. Drs. E. C. Helm and L. F. Bennett had papers on the subject.

Facial Blemishes
Freckles, moth patches, blackheads, spider cancer, red veins, superfluous hair, moles, etc., removed with electric needle. It is permanent, painless and without scar. By permission I can refer to patients. To new patients a trial treatment free, good for ten days.

MME. WINSOR, Jackson Block.

Mrs. W. H. Corneau returned last evening from a visit with friends in Chicago.

1903 STORE NEWS

Prudence

Should...

prompt you to read our store news, especially at this season. If there's virtue in economy, then our advertising columns plainly point the way by which that virtue can be put into immediate practice. Selling good merchandise at reasonable prices is honest trading. It is the kind of trading that has won and is winning fresh patronage to this store right along.

Below we quote you a few specials for Monday and during the week.

Men's heavy Box calf shoe welted soles \$2.50 Special...

Men's high cut Box Calf shoes, heavy double soles... \$3.00

Women's Box calf shoes in broken sizes to close out... \$2.00

All broken sizes in Women's \$5 00 shoes go at a big reduction.

We have a first-class shoe repairer.

King & Cowles.

Traveling Cases

Are A Necessity...

Every man and woman should have one. We have them in all grades of leather—also complete line of Steamer Trunks

J. H. MURRAY, Successor to James Solkirk.

6 North Main Janesville

...OUR

Holiday--Business

never showed a larger expenditure of money than it did this year. People will buy when the assortment is kept.

FOR

Fine Jewelry

We are headquarters.

HALL, SAYLES & FIFIELD, Reliable Jewelers.

Hard Coal..

\$12

Per Ton.

Janesville Coal Co.,

Phone 89. Office, Riverside Laundry. Yards, South River & Oak Sts.

VINOL..

Is the greatest Tonic Reconstructor, Flesh Creator, Strength Maintainer and Blood Purifier that it has ever been our pleasure to offer to our friends and patrons.

VINOL..

Is not a patent medicine but a genuine scientific discovery. Every ingredient printed on the bottle.

Ask For Sample.

SMITH'S PHARMACY, Kodaks and Kodak Supplies. Registered Pharmacists.

A LAMP FOR THE LIBRARY..

For Reading or Sewing that you can stand on your table—will be appreciated. We have a large, and we think, handsome assortment, ranging in price from \$3 75 up, for complete lamp.

NEW GAS LIGHT CO.,

J. N. WELLS, DENTIST

Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Suite 401-402 Jackson Building.

Havana Seconds.

NEWEST and BEST.

The best 5c Cigar sold in Janesville. Guaranteed all Havana. Long Filler, equal to most 10c goods.

H. E. RANOUS & CO! Druggists. Opposite Post Office.

The News From County Towns.

HANOVER

Hanover, Jan. 2.—Fred Mathias lost another horse last Saturday night. This is the second horse in six months, and they were both valuable horses, the loss falls heavy on Mr. Mathias.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Brown spent New Years with relatives in Janesville.

Rev. Paul Raschki held services in the Trinity church New Years night.

Miss Jennie Raymond and Wm. Schuman perpetrated a surprise on their relatives and friends by going to Rockford Wednesday and returning husband and wife. We extend congratulations.

Mrs. S. Selmore does not improve very rapidly but remains about the same.

Allan Long returned Tuesday night from a visit to his parents in Mo. Miss Millicent McNair, of Brodhead and Miss Sarah Venable, of Janesville spent Wednesday with Miss Maude Deltmer.

County Superintendent elect Chas. Hemmingsway, spent New Years day with his parents in this village.

Mrs. Eva Child returned Wednesday evening from Belvidere, Ill., where she has been visiting her brother, A. D. Kendall and family.

Mrs. Kate Zunow of Janesville, spent Thursday with friends in Hanover.

Misses Mamie, Annie and Kittie Blank of Janesville, attended the dance in Hanover Wednesday night. Miss Ethel Jones of Janesville was a guest of her uncle Ed Kane and wife on New Year's day.

Schools will open on Monday next after a two weeks vacation.

SHOPIERE

Shopiere, Jan. 2.—Mr. Maurer will preach in the congregational church on Sunday January 4th. He is from Beloit. The annual meeting of the cong. church society was held at the chapel on Tuesday last, at two o'clock and officers elected for the ensuing year.

D. M. Spicer the creamery man at Tiffany took a business trip to Chicago Wednesday.

Harry and Ernest Miller from Clinton, Iowa, spent New Years with B. H. Smith and family.

Miss Randall from Janesville, visited with her sister Mrs. W. W. Swingle this week.

James Haggart and wife spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. Colvin. Charles Parker son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Parker passed away at his home on Wednesday at ten o'clock of typhoid fever on account of the others that are so low with the same disease the funeral services were held at Chas. Rice on New Years day at two o'clock p. m. He was buried at Turtle. He was 22 years of age.

James Atkinson is visiting at Emerald Grove for a short time.

Miss Nellie Calf came down from Janesville to spend New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Kemmerer have relatives visiting them from Iowa.

A. D. Parker and H. D. McArthur from Beloit visited this place on Wednesday last.

S. K. Sweet was present at the funeral of Mrs. Calvin Hull at Milton Junction on Monday last.

The president of the Asphalt mine in Utah, called on E. J. Sale Tuesday last.

AFTON

Afton, Jan. 2.—The annual election of officers was held in the Baptist Sunday school last Sunday with the following result: Superintendent, O. D. Antisdel; assistant superintendent, W. J. Miller; secretary, Grace Antisdel; treasurer, C. C. Miller.

John Brinkman has been appointed postmaster here in place of Albert Walte, resigned.

Regular Woodman meeting will be held next Saturday evening at which the newly elected officers will be installed.

The Walte general store changed hands on New Years day. Frank H. Otis assuming control. Rufus S. Walte bought this store in 1871 of George Simms and it was carried on by him up to the time of his death, in August 1901, since which time his sons have conducted the business. Under the management of

PLENTY OF IT

Lots More Proof Like This and It Is All From Janesville People. "The proof of the pudding is in the eating of it." If any city or town in the union has sufficient proof on the following subject it is Janesville.

Genuine merit is finding its reward in the hearty endorsement of local citizens. When people right here at home, friends and neighbors of our readers give a statement like the following for publication it is proof convincing for the most skeptical. Read this testimony:

Mrs. S. L. Belden of 64 S. River street says: "During two or three years I suffered most of the time with a terrible dragging down pain in my back just over the kidneys. It was very trying when I was at work and if I did any lifting my bladder became affected causing me considerable annoyance. I also had attacks of headache which seemed like congestion in the top and back of my head. When I read about Doan's Kidney Pills I did not have any too much confidence in them but my daughter got a box at the People's Drug Co.'s store and persuaded me to use them. They took right hold and made a wonderful change in my condition. I hardly realized how bad I was until Doan's Kidney Pills brought me relief from the afflictions."

For sale by all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for U. S.

Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

Mr. Otis the store will continue to be run on up-to-date principles, and an effort to please all the old customers as well as any new ones who may favor him with their orders.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eldredge had a family reunion at their home on Christmas day, all of their children returning to their old home to partake of Christmas dinner.

Miss Sarah Z. Drafaul is spending the holiday season with her parents.

O. D. Antisdel attended the state teachers' meeting at Milwaukee the past week.

The first meeting of the literary society for the new year will be held at the home of C. H. Antisdel on Tuesday evening of next week.

BARKERS CORNERS

Barkers Corners, Jan. 2.—Stripping tobacco is the order of the day.

John Boetche and wife of Guthrie spent Christmas at home.

Craig Bros. had a runaway Saturday evening, no damage was done.

Mike Rabyor is not able to be out on account of throat trouble.

John McDermott delivered his hogs Wednesday in Janesville.

Not and Maggie McGraw were pleasant callers at John McDermott's Saturday evening.

Jennie McDermott spent Saturday and Sunday with Edgerton friends.

Chas. Davis delivered his crop of 1902 in Edgerton Friday.

Mrs. Fred Rabyor gave a New Years dinner to relatives.

Quite a number of our young people have started to work in Edgerton.

A. G. Russell is the owner of a small Portland cutter.

Why is it Louisa Boetche wishes the snow would stay?

School starts in the Flagler Monday. Miss McBride as teacher.

Joe Rabyor of Hanover is calling on his many friends again.

J. B. Litney called on friends in this vicinity Sunday.

W. A. Hill was a pleasant caller in this vicinity Thursday eve.

The young people had a constant party Wednesday evening on Taylor's hill.

WEST PORTER

West Porter, Jan. 2.—Invitations are out for a dancing party in the Porter band hall Friday evening Jan. 2, 1903. Music by Leavenor's Orchestra with harp.

Miss Nellie Hendrick, Olive Sperry, Irene Montgomery and Leta Johnson, who are attending high school at Evansville are home for a two weeks vacation.

School is closed in the Wilder district for a two weeks vacation. The winter term begins Jan. 5th. Miss Bessie Green, teacher.

Some from here attended the concert given at Evansville last Friday evening by the Clayton's woman symphony orchestra and report it very good.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Sperry entertained a number of their relatives at dinner Christmas day.

Jesse Earle of Janesville spent Christmas at the parental home.

The Christmas tree at the Cooksville Lutheran church last Friday night was largely attended from this way and all report a good time.

Miss Bill E. Tolles visited over Sunday with Mrs. Wm. Baldwin at Evansville.

TOWN OF JANESVILLE

Town of Janesville, Jan. 2.—Fred Brown the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, was injured while at work for the railroad company near Chicago, Wednesday. No particulars have been received as yet. He was taken to one of the hospitals, and his brother Frank has come to Chicago.

Mrs. Bessie Van Gelder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Little was married at Rockford, Wednesday afternoon to Walter Dalton of Janesville.

Alvah Austin from Appleton and Clifford Austin from Madison are spending their vacation at the parental home.

H. L. Maxfield attended the Knights of Pythias party in the city Tuesday night.

Fred Larzow and family spent New Year's with Chas. Bennett and family.

Frank Korn and family visited at the home of John Little New Year's day.

Mrs. Frank Walsh and sons, Allan and Robert, spent Friday in Beloit, with friends.

ALBANY

Albany, Jan. 1.—Mrs. Thos. Mitchell is quite sick with pneumonia.

Little Miss Martha Jackson is sick with scarlet fever.

Mrs. Augusta Livingston visited friends in Janesville Tuesday.

Miss Addie Davis returned home from Elgin Ill. Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lalor Wilson are enjoying the arrival of a ten pound baby girl born on New Years day.

Mr. J. L. Berkely of Monticello was an Albany visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Blakely spent Sunday at Evansville.

Miss Nettie Luce was a Janesville visitor Tuesday.

Miss Mary Glennan of Elgin visited her mother and sister last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Sherrubury of Brodhead spent Christmas with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sherrubury.

Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Kidd and little daughter spent New Year with friend at Oregon.

Mr. R. V. Barney and wife of Monticello spent Christmas at Chas. Babcock's.

SPRING VALLEY

Spring Valley, Jan. 2.—The farmers are all busy stripping tobacco.

Miss Edna Haskins is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Harper attended

Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Glimper and family.

The Evergreen farm had the usual Christmas dinner and tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Fordie Gibson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fuller and family. Mrs. Mira Gibson and family and Santa Claus Christmas night.

N. N. Palmer and son shipped another calf to the western part of the state Monday.

Stowe Liston delivered hogs in Orfordville Monday.

EMERALD GROVE

Emerald Grove, Jan. 2.—Misses Lucy and Ida Akin, of Janesville, visited at J. A. McArthur Wednesday.

The next meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary will be held at the church parlors on Thursday, Jan. 2. Picnic dinner. Business meeting at one o'clock. Everybody come.

Earl Kinlaus is again able to be out.

Miss Bessie Stenson, of Janesville, spent New Years at R. J. Jones.

Miss Edna Wright has resumed her school duties after a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Fitch entertained company from Shopiere New Years.

ALLEN GROVE

Allen Grove, Jan. 2.—Mrs. Rood and daughter came out from Beloit to spend the holidays.

Lillie McKlincy of Beloit is spending a few days at home.

Miss Clara Snell and friend, of Delavan spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. H. Barnum.

Elmer Spicer is on the sick list.

Mrs. Macafe and daughter are visiting friends in Clinton.

Mr. Chas. Sackett of Beloit was seen on our streets Thursday.

Mrs. Mate Sweet attended the funeral of Mrs. Dunn at South Grove, Tuesday.

These crispy morsels Mrs. Antin's Pancake flour taste delicious. Ready in a moment. Buy from your grocer today.

Unearned Wages May Be Assigned Legally

The question whether unearned wages or salary can be legally assigned seems to be an open question in Illinois, as it is in many states. The appellate court of that state, first distinctly states it has sought in vain for legal grounds on which the unearned wages or salary of a workman or employee may be protected against his own assignment, fairly and voluntarily made for a proper consideration. The law, when properly invoked, is ample to protect one in his rights, but if the person has sufficient mental capacity to attend to ordinary business and acts rationally in the ordinary affairs of life the law is impotent to protect him against the consequence of his own folly. 35 Chicago Legal News.

Railroads—Frightening Horses

A railroad company which erects a tall crane in or near a highway which from its appearance when a tall bag is hung on it, is calculated to frighten horses of ordinary gentleness driven in the highway, and does so, injuring the driver, is liable for the negligence. The court admits that tall cranes are necessary to the business of railroads, but that it is not necessary to erect them so near public roads that they will obstruct the use of the highway to the public. 33 Southern Rep. (Alabama, Judge McClellan) 10.

Disturbance Outside Courtroom

Power of the Court Judge A. A. Coleman, Judge of the 10th judicial circuit of Alabama, issued an order directing the sheriff of the county to prohibit the "passage of horses or stock of any kind or vehicles of any kind" through a paved street at the side of a court house in the city of Birmingham during court hours. Vehicles of the fire department and street cars, not running at a rate to exceed two miles and hour, were excepted from their unusual order. In a suit brought by the mayor and aldermen against the judge, to prevent the execution of this order, it was held that, both under the statute conferring upon every court the power to preserve and enforce order, and the general principles of the common law, a court has power, in order to prevent a disturbance in the courtroom, to stop traffic on the street so far as necessary. 33 Southern Rep. (Alabama, Judge Haralson) 13.

Life Insurance—Knowledge of False Statements

Where an application for a policy of the insurance was made a part of the contract, and provided that false answers would vitiate the contract, and the answers in regard to the health of the insured were materially false, and the agent writing the insurance was required to assure himself as to the insured's health, knew the facts, and knew the true condition of his health and continued to collect the premiums, the knowledge of the agent was notice to the company, and it was liable on the policy. 70 Southwestern Rep. (Texas, Judge Bookhout) 607.

A Judge's Notion of Care

In Edwards vs. Southern Railway company, a recent South Carolina case, Judge Pope said: "If I was going to shoe a kicking mule, I would be more careful when I got to his hind feet than I was with his fore feet. I would be careful with his fore feet, but when I got to his hind feet I would be more careful." "For ways that are dark and tricks that are vain" the mule is as peculiar as the heathen Chinese, and we are afraid that the judge was sufficiently conversant with the ways of that beast to take up the business of a farrier with other than callous results. (Law Notes for December).

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Good SHOE NEWS Briefly Told...

The Holiday rush has left us with numerous broken size lots on hand. If price is an object to you, your coming to our store should not be delayed. Clearing sale on Slippers at 45 cents Per Pair.

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Justice

BUILDINGS SINK INTO DEEP CHASM MINERS SWIM FOR THEIR LIVES

Thin Layer of Overhead Rock Yields to Pressure When Timbers Rot and Cause the Disaster—Invalide Are Carried From Hotel.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 3.—Abandoned workings of the Eddy creek colliery of the Delaware & Hudson company beneath the very heart of the town of Olyphant caved in and engulfed four frame buildings covering an aggregate ground space of 6,000 square feet.

The settling was gradual and people in the affected territory escaped without being immediately endangered. A gang of men and boys who were at work in the mine beyond the fall encountered a flooded "dip" or depression in a vein in making their way out by a circuitous route and had to swim from one rise to the other.

Plunge Into Opening.

At 3 o'clock the settling began. At 3:30 it was no longer perceptible. In the intervening half hour O'Brien's three-story hotel, Mrs. Anna Evans' double dwelling, Mrs. Jane Ackley's double store building and a one-story barber shop were ground to debris in the yawning pit, with the uppermost part of the mound forty feet below the surface. O'Brien's hotel plunged first into the opening and entirely disappeared. A few houses are projecting over the edge of the pit.

Flee in Terror.

The vein that caved is 115 feet below the surface. The settling started in the street just in front of the hotel property. The brick pavement was seen to be working and the telegraph poles and trees along the curb were noticed to be wobbling. The cause was at once apparent and the alarm given to all the neighborhood. Two sick guests were removed from the hotel and taken two blocks away to a private house. Some attempt was made at saving the contents of the buildings, but the rapidly increasing size of the opening in the street put a stop to this and everyone fled from the neighborhood. The property damage is estimated at \$30,000.

Timbers Rot.

The workings which caved were in the uppermost part of the worked-out veins. The timbers, it is explained by the company officials, supported a thin roof of rock, which in turn supported strata of quicksand and gravel extending to the surface. The timbers rotted, the roof gave way and the quicksand sifted through, carrying the gravel with it. The water mains broke and a torrent of water poured through the aperture and down a forty-five-foot plane which had its heading just at the point where the roof broke through.

Envelopes Everything.

Not until all that was above the area of the old workings which caved in had been sucked into the opening and down the slope did the settling cease. Fortunately for the company the surface ceased cracking ninety feet from the river bank. Had it reached the river the mine would have been drowned.

CREW ADRIFT AND STARVING

American Ship in Sorry Plight Helped by Japanese Liner.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 3.—The American ship St. David is drifting about the north Pacific dismasted and short of provisions. The Japanese liner America Naru, which has reached port from the orient, spoke the vessel off the Japanese coast Dec. 17, sent a boat load of provisions to the St. David and took off one man, Harry John Johnson, an ordinary seaman of Los Angeles, who had been injured.

Weds Army Officer.

Wilson, Kas., Jan. 3.—Lieut. Bates Tucker, U. S. A., of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and Miss Blanche Hines of Wilson were married here. They became acquainted three years ago, the result of Mr. Tucker, then a private, passing through Kansas on his way to the Philippines.

Fire and Murder.

Olla, La., Jan. 3.—This place was almost wiped out by fire. While the fire was raging Marshal Everett Smith went to a saloon for the purpose of closing it, and was shot through the heart.

Retires After Long Service.

Mexico, Mo., Jan. 3.—After serving the country as Probate Judge for the remarkable period of 23 years, Judge S. M. Edwards retired and was succeeded by Judge W. W. Hoots.

Strike Stops Coal Traffic.

Springfield, O., Jan. 3.—Forty conductors and brakemen on the Detroit Southern railroad at Jackson went on a strike. During the trouble the coal traffic will be suspended.

Skaters Drown.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 3.—Three boys—Willie Brown, 11; Thomas Livesey, 14, and W. L. Lann, 12—lost their lives while skating on a pond a short distance below the city.

Postoffice Is Robbed.

Rosindale, Mass., Jan. 3.—Burglars with dynamite blew open the safe of the postoffice here and got away with \$300 worth of stamps and about \$300 in cash.

Remembered Old Employees.

On his silver wedding anniversary Charles J. Swanson, a Minneapolis manufacturer, gave to each of nine of his employees who had been with him for twenty years a deed for forty acres of improved land in Anoka county. The total value of the gifts was \$5,500.

WHISKY FAMINE NOW FEARED

Shortage of Goods in Bond May Force Late Product on Market.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 3.—Only 4,000,000 gallons of the whisky made in 1895, 1896 and 1897 remain in bond, and the whisky dealers are alarmed. About 7,000,000 gallons of 6, 7 and 8 year old whisky is used annually, and the dealers say there will not be a gallon in bond by July 1. Heretofore there has always been much more than was consumed. The leading dealers claim the condition may result in the whisky made in 1895, 1896 and 1897 being cornered and the prices doubled. The small supply is due principally to a limit being placed on the amount of whisky made in 1897. The output in Kentucky that year was from 12,000,000 to 14,000,000 gallons less than usual.

BABY IS BURNED IN FURNACE

Fireman Cremates Infant at Request of Two Unknown Men.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 3.—A baby girl, inclosed in a pasteboard box, was brought to the boiler room of the Brown Palace hotel, Dec. 16, by two well dressed men, and placed in one of the fireboxes and burned to ashes.

Fireman W. C. Hughes was told by the men they had a baby in the box and wanted to burn it up. He opened the firebox for them and they placed the box within.

Carl Johnson, Ed Chaubel, and Fred Anderson saw the child in the box. Hughes was arrested. He does not know whether the girl was dead or alive. Charred remains have been saved by Johnson.

GATES CROWD IS TO GO SOUTH

Will Pass Late Winter and Early Spring at Palm Beach, Fla.

New York, Jan. 3.—The Gates crowd is making arrangements to spend the late winter and early spring at Palm Beach, Fla. The Wall street house which does its business has had a special wire built to Palm Beach. The speculative business arising there has hitherto been transmitted via public wires. The same house put in a special wire to Saratoga for the exclusive use of the Gates contingent. Mr. Gates and the friends who were with him at Port Arthur, Texas, shooting ducks, will return there for some more of that sport, and go thence to Palm Beach.

HELD FOR POISONING MOTHER

George Wilson Held Without Bonds With Mrs. Manson.

Ashford, Conn., Jan. 3.—Mrs. Lella Manson and George Wilson, who have been held in the Brooklyn, Conn., jail for some time on account of the suspicion that they were connected with the death of Wilson's mother by poisoning, were given a preliminary hearing at Waterville and remanded to jail without bonds for trial before the superior court next March on the charge of murder.

Landslide Wrecks Railroad.

Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 3.—There has been a washout on the "High Line" branch of the Washington & Columbia River railroad in the Blue mountains near Wallula. A bridge and three miles of track have been demolished by a landslide.

Dies at Holliness Meet.

North Attleboro, Mass., Jan. 3.—At the Holliness convention Maud Reed died while listening to a fervid address. The fatality came as the climax of an exciting last day of the session and two women fainted.

Coadjutor for Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 3.—The official announcement that the office of coadjutor for the archdiocese of Cincinnati has been created by the Roman propaganda has been received at the archiepiscopal residence.

Snow Covers Ranges.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 3.—The range country in Western Nebraska is covered by deep snow and cattle are suffering for forage. Heavy losses are predicted.

Bret Harte's Estate.

London, Jan. 3.—Letters of administration of the estate of the late Bret Harte have been granted. The total value of the estate is placed at \$1,800.

Crown Prince to Visit Czar.

Berlin, Jan. 3.—Crown Prince Frederick William has accepted an invitation of the czar to visit his majesty at St. Petersburg in the middle of January.

New Diamond Fields.

London, Jan. 3.—It seems to be beyond question that large and enormously rich diamond fields exist north of Pretoria.

Negro is Hanged.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 3.—Thomas Dunn, colored, was hanged for the murder of Peter Jackson, another negro, October 29, 1900, the outcome of a quarrel over a small sum of money.

Austria May Raise Tariff.

Vienna, Jan. 3.—Increased tariff duties on both grain and manufactured articles are the important features of the new Ausgleich, which it is learned is of a highly protectionist character.

Cargo Is on Fire.

Hamilton, Bermuda, Jan. 3.—The Dutch steamer Dordrecht, Captain Vesser, from Pensacola, Dec. 23, for Bremen, has arrived here in distress. The cargo in the forehold is on fire.

No Relief for Jews.

Bucharest, Jan. 3.—The statement sent out Dec. 27 to the effect that the Roumanian senate had agreed to the naturalization of Jews in Roumania was erroneous.



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for you to purchase
Clothing this month.
On February 1st we
take our annual in-
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will discount the
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Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

INSTALL OFFICERS IN JOINT SESSION

Plans Made by the Ancient Order of United Workmen and Degree of Honor.

At the regular meeting of Rock River Encampment, No. 3, I. O. O. F., held at East Side Odd Fellows' hall last evening, officers for the ensuing year were installed by District Grand Patriarch Charles W. Schwartz. The complete list of elected and appointed officers is as follows:

Chief Patriarch—Miles Rice.
High Priest—Robert Scott.
Senior Warden—F. H. Koehlin.
Scribe—A. C. Jenkins.
Financial Scribe—A. H. Taylor.
Treasurer—J. F. Hutchinson.
Junior Warden—Harry P. Robinson.
Guide—Joe Trahin.
Outside Watch—G. H. Webster.
Inside Watch—L. M. Nelson.
Second Watch—S. R. Knox.
Third Watch—H. W. Kramer.
Fourth Watch—W. S. Rice.
First Guard of Tent—C. J. B. Pabst.
Second Guard of Tent—Frank Nelson.

There was an unusually large attendance of members of the encampment at the meeting. After the installation, Chief Patriarch Miles Rice passed a box of cigars among his fellow patriarchs and a brief and enjoyable session followed.

A. O. U. W. ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Installation Occurred at Their Hall Last Evening, with Much Ceremony.

Plans are being made for a joint installation of officers to be held by Olive Branch lodge, No. 36, A. O. U. W., and its auxiliary society, Laurel Lodge, No. 2, Degree of Honor. The installation will be held at East Side Odd Fellows' hall on Friday evening, Jan. 23, which is regular meeting night for the Workmen.

Families of the members of both lodges will be invited to witness the installation ceremonies and a social dance will follow. Arrangements have not been fully completed but have been left in the hands of a joint committee which includes three members from each lodge. The Workmen are represented on this committee by John Heller, Fred Schmidt and Ed. Marchall and the Degree of Honor representatives are Mesdames Philip Ohlweiler, Anna Lagerman and W. J. Hill. Olive Branch lodge will also give some kind of a "blow-out" in celebration of the winning of the state banner but it has not been decided whether this celebration will be held in connection with the installation or separately. The members of the lodge are very much rejoiced over their victory.

PLEASANT SESSION FOR CLUB MEMBERS

Monthly Meeting and Supper of the Rebekah Social Club Was Especially Enjoyable.

Members of the Rebekah Social club enjoyed their monthly meeting at East Side Odd Fellows' hall on Friday afternoon. The ladies met as usual in the afternoon and held their business meeting after which they devoted the remaining time before six o'clock the gentlemen joined the company and the appetizing supper was thoroughly enjoyed. After ample justice had been done the abundance of good things the early evening was spent with cards and sociability.

BEN HUR MEMBERS TO ENJOY BANQUET

Elegant Spread Will Follow the Installation of Officers Next Thursday Evening.

Members of Ben Hur Court, No. 1, Tribe of Ben Hur are planning for a banquet to be given at East Side Odd Fellows' hall next Thursday evening. The banquet will be for lodge members only and will be held in connection with the installation of the newly elected officers. The installation will be the principal feature of the lodge meeting and the banquet, together with a social session, will follow.

SPECIAL MUSICAL SERVICE

To Be Held At The Baptist Church On Sunday Evening.

The Baptists have recently inaugurated several musical features. A number of organizations contribute their songs to the enrichment of the services. On Sunday evening the following musical program will be given:

"Arise and Shine"Towner
The Chorus.
Hymn—"My Faith Looks Up To Thee".....Schnecker
Violin Obligato by Mr. Oscar Halverson.
The Quartette
"In God's Acre".....Jordan
The Sunbeam Chorus and Miss Elizabeth Palmer.
Hymn—"Nearer My God To Thee".....Sweet
Male Quartette
"Ashamed of Jesus".....Coles
Amateur Glee Club
"The Heavenly Message".....Coombs
Violin Obligato by Mr. Oscar Halverson. Miss Cora Anderson.
"The Lord Is Our Leader".....Koschat
The Chorus

Sermon for Business Men
A very cordial invitation is extended to the business men of the city and all others interested, to attend services in Christ church on Sunday evening at seven o'clock. The rector will preach a special sermon on the topic: "Business on

Christian Principles." The theory has been advanced by Political Economists that it is impossible to conduct business on Christian principles. The rector has sought to ascertain the opinion of some of the business men of our city on the subject, thus arraying practice against theory. The subject is one in which all should be interested and a cordial invitation is given to all such to come to this service.

WARDEN DRAFAHL MAKES A CATCH

Percy Kearney Hunts Rabbits with a Ferret, and Has to Settle.

It cost Percy Kearney of this city \$21.60 to catch five rabbits with a ferret. Rabbits at \$4.32 each are dear property seeing that they are worth about ten cents a piece in the market. Mr. Kearney and a couple of friends started out last Thursday on a rabbit hunt and to make sure of getting some game took a ferret along with them. Their hunting trip might have been a success but unfortunately for them they elected to hunt in the territory adjacent to the home of Deputy Game Warden Drafahl. When they had finished their hunt and were on their way home with the rabbits and the ferret when they walked into the arms of Warden Drafahl and Gratz. The wardens being of an inquiring turn of mind, searched the hunters and found the ferret and the rabbits in Mr. Kearney's possession. They confiscated the rabbits and killed the ferret and told Mr. Kearney to appear before Judge Field this morning.

When the case was called Mr. Kearney plead guilty to the complaint and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$20 and costs, in all \$21.60 or to spend twenty-five days in jail. The case was held open until two o'clock this afternoon to give Kearney a chance to get the money.

REPORTORIAL GLEANINGS

Greater Business: The American Express company report that their business in Janesville for the month of December, 1902 was thirty per cent. greater than for the corresponding month of 1901. The general business shows a marked increase over 1901.

First License Issued: The first marriage license issued in Rock county for the year 1903 went to William J. Clark and Sara Irene Sammon, both of Beloit. Otto Hesbig and Eliza Erb of Rockford, Ill., secured the second one.

New Case Is Here: A new case for the six circuit fire alarm repeater at the city hall arrived today and was placed in position. The case that came with the repeater was considerably marred and dented and Chief Klein refused to accept it. The new case was sent out by the Gainswell company to replace it.

Benefit Dance: A benefit dance is being arranged by the members of the Trades council for Thomas Welch an employe of the New Doty Works who has been sick for over two months and is unable to work. It will be held at Assembly hall on January 15.

Want Union Labor on Streets: The trades council is seeking to have only union laborers employed by the city next year on the street work. A committee from the council and the city highway committee held a meeting on Wednesday afternoon and a communication regarding the subject will be presented at the meeting of the council next Monday night.

Entertained Friends: Miss Mabel Sanborn entertained a few of her friends at a dinner on New Years day at her home, 30 Clark street. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slawson, Miss Nellie Brown of Tampa, Florida, and Mr. George Baumann. After the dinner the guests spent a very pleasant evening playing different games and joining in social conversation.

Sunday Train Changes Time: A new time card will go into effect Sunday on the St. Paul road. The principal change in this city will be in the leaving time of the Sunday Chicago train which now leaves at 5:10 p. m. Beginning tomorrow this train will leave at 5:40 p. m. and reach Chicago at 8:40 p. m. It will make connections with the train from Madison and carry a parlor buffet car the same as the other Chicago trains.

A \$500 Bill: One of the local banks over paid a customer who was drawing some money Wednesday afternoon \$500. The money was turned over to a local attorney by the customer and the mistake was discovered by him. He notified the bank and the money was returned to them this morning. They however had a long hunt for the shortage Wednesday night before the attorney notified them.

Roller Prizes Given: At the skating contest at the rink Thursday evening the following awards were made for the best and most graceful skaters: Miss Clara Jayton was adjudged the best of the young ladies and was accordingly presented with a handsome pair of nickel plated skates. Miss Mamie Condon was given the second prize, a silk umbrella. Of the men R. E. Duncan was given first award, a silk umbrella, and M. Dalton second, a box of cigars.

Set of Cheap Teeth.
A Vienna dentist reports having made considerable success with artificial teeth made of paper treated by a process of his own invention.

JUSTICE CASES WERE CALLED
Three suits were docketed with Jesse Earle for hearing Friday in Justice Earle's court yesterday the case of James Murphy against L. Preusse was adjourned to January 21. That of W. H. Graves against Adam Apfel, G. H. Rumrill being garnishee, was also adjourned; the date set was January 9. In the suit of Alpheus Austin against S. S. Chase subpoenas were issued for witnesses for trial.

WHIST CLUB HOLDS PLEASANT MEETING

Members Were Entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Soverhill

At Their Home.
Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Soverhill entertained the members of the Whist club to which they belong very charmingly at their home, 11 Washington street, on Friday evening. There are twenty members of the club, which was organized several years ago under the name of the Hizoner Whist club but which has since dropped its designative title. Mrs. T. B. Earle of Edgerton was also a guest.

According to the club custom the members assembled at six o'clock and dinner was served, the four daughters of the host and hostess waiting on the tables. After the dinner the Misses Soverhill responded to a request for some music. Several selections were played by these young girls.

After the music the balance of the evening was devoted to whist. The members of the club meet for sociability only and no prizes are given. The sessions are always enjoyable and the one of Friday evening was especially so.

INVITATIONS OUT FOR SOCIAL EVENT

Mrs. F. A. Taylor and Mrs. J. P. Thorne Will Be Hostesses at a Large Dancing Party.

Invitations were issued today by Mrs. Franklin Allen Taylor and Mrs. James Prescott Thorne for a large dancing party to be given on Wednesday evening, January the fourth. The party is to be given at Central hall and the invitations are extended for eight o'clock. Smith's orchestra will play for the dancing and the party will be one of the society events of the season.

Murphy Meeting Tomorrow: An interesting mass meeting will be held by the Francis Murphy League in celebration of its fourth anniversary on Sunday afternoon. The meeting will be held in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium at three o'clock and there will be excellent addresses and music. Men, women and children are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. N. Sawyer
Word has been received in the city of the death of Mrs. N. Sawyer, the sad event occurring at her home in Chicago. Mrs. Sawyer will be well remembered by many friends in this city where she formerly resided. She was a sister of Mrs. Elizabeth E. Hasleton and was seventy-six years of age. The remains were taken to Boston for interment.

Baby Dead
The five months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Vogel, who reside on South High street, died on Thursday night after a brief illness. The body was taken to Monroe today for burial.

Little Soap Used in India.
English firms are trying to secure a market for soap in India, but up to the present time that country has remained practically soapless. Indeed, throughout Hindustan soap is regarded as rather a curiosity, and rarely, if ever, kept in stock by the native storekeeper.

Warned Lincoln of Danger.
W. E. Chandler, a well-known resident of Washington, has just died. He carried the message to President Lincoln before the outbreak of the civil war warning him not to go through Baltimore on his way to Washington.

A King's Playful Pastime.
Alexander the Great used his sword against women rather than for them and one of his favorite pastimes was beating his wives with the flat of his steel blade.

TODAYS MARKET REPORT.

From the Madison, Moine Co., 304 Clark street, Block, Janesville.

C. L. Culler resident manager.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat	54	55	54	54 1/2
May	54	55	54	54 1/2
July	54	55	54	54 1/2
Oct	54	55	54	54 1/2
May	42 1/2	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Oct	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
May	16 20	16 32	16 05	16 01
Jan	17 07	17 08	17 00	17 30
May	9 35	9 40	9 30	9 30
Jan	9 85	9 85	9 72	9 77
May	8 55	8 57	8 52	8 52
Jan	8 35	8 35	8 27	8 29

CHICAGO CASH LOT RECEIPTS.
Today, Contract, Est. Tomorrow

Wheat	103	1	25
Corn	80 1/2	1	25
Oats	35	19	25

NORTH-WEST RECEIPTS (Wheat).
Chicago 103 25 25
Minneapolis 2 0 25
Duluth 76

Live Stock Markets.
RECEIPTS TODAY

Chicago	2200	2000
Kan. City	2000	2000
Omaha	5000	5000

Market steady steady steady
cattle 3 00 3 10
calves & heifers 3 00 3 25
Mixed 3 00 3 25
Mixed heavy 3 00 3 25
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Elgin Butter Market
Creamery extras, lb. 20 Packing stock 16
Firsts 22 1/2 24 1/2 Process butter 19 1/2 20
Seconds 20 1/2 22 1/2 June extra 21 1/2 22 1/2
Dairies 23 1/2 25 1/2 Lard 25 1/2 26 1/2
Lard 25 1/2 26 1/2

Bridge Room Is Fatally Hurt.
Elwood, Ind., Jan. 3.—William Meator was struck by a car on the Union Traction line at Elwood and so badly injured that he cannot recover. He is a wealthy farmer and had gone to Anderson to get a marriage license.

NEW UNIFORMS FOR THE ARMY

OFFICER WORE RUSSET SHOES

This Eccentricity Leads to a Rule Definitively Described the Official Style of Footwear Adapted to All Occasions and Conditions.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Radical changes in the uniforms to be worn by army officers are set forth in the report of the board headed by General Young and made public by the department. It is provided that officers on duty in Washington wear their uniforms during office hours. Bronze sleeve ornaments will take the place of embroidery, and the United States coat-of-arms in gold is to be added to all shoulder knots of officers above captains.

No More Embroidery.
Except on ranks above major, embroidered gold oak leaves are abolished. The chapeau is abolished along with the service helmet and cap for officers and service trousers for enlisted men. Chaplains are to wear black overcoats. Provision is made for a combination sash and belt for brigadier generals. A significant recommendation calls for a more detailed description of the shoes to be worn by officers, for it is rumored that the board's labors were begun as a result of the detection of an officer otherwise properly uniformed, in full dress, wearing a pair of russet shoes.

Other recommendations are that belts and cartridge cases are to be worn outside the overcoat; that a marching shoes shall be provided for the men, and that the bureau of insular affairs shall have a device.

HAS NOT PROTESTED.

State Department Does Not Interfere in Church Appointments.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The attention of the officers of the administration charged with the direction of Philippine affairs being called to a dispatch from Rome to the effect that Secretary Hay had written the Vatican that Mr. Messmer of Green Bay, Wis., is impossible for the position of bishop of Manila because of the speech which he recently made before the Catholic Truth Federation, the statement was made in the most emphatic terms that there was absolutely no foundation for the story.

It was further declared that in no single instance has the United States government allowed itself to be placed in the position of dictating the personality of any priest or church official who was to go to or stay in the Philippines.

IS NOT IN POLITICS.

John Mitchell Declares He Is Not Looking for Office.

Washington, Jan. 3.—John Mitchell has made it plain that he is not in politics. He was informed that the Cook County Democracy had elected him a member of the organization with the evident idea of dragging the labor leader into Democratic national politics. Mr. Mitchell is at Scranton, and he was informed of the action in Chicago over the telephone.

"That's the first I have heard of it," he said. "You know I don't want anything to do with politics and I am not looking for any office. I don't want to say anything that would offend the Democracy of Cook county, but you can quote me as saying that I do not care to become identified with any political movement, either local or national."

Public Debt Statement.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business Dec. 31, 1902, the debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to \$947,164,679, which is a decrease for the month of \$10,932,602, which is largely accounted for by an increase of nearly \$10,000,000 in the amount of cash on hand. The monthly comparative statement of the government receipts and expenditures shows that for the month of December, 1902, the total receipts were \$47,155,299 and the expenditures \$36,523,744, leaving a surplus for the month of \$10,618,000. Receipts for the month are about \$100,000 in excess of those for December, 1901, and the expenditures \$785,000 less than for that month.

Petition the President.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The American Association for the Advancement of Science has agreed to request President Roosevelt to appoint a physician as a member of the isthmian canal commission. The feature of the sessions of the section on social and economic science was a review of the work of the various bureaus of the department of agriculture by their chiefs. Prof. Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau, said that it cost \$1,250,000 a year to make the forecasts; that the first warnings of a few days ago in Florida saved millions of dollars to the people of that state and the forewarning of a single cold wave recently saved shippers \$1,000,000.

Closes a Postoffice.

Washington, Jan. 3.—After a discussion with the cabinet of the case of Mrs. Minnie W. Cox, who has been forced to resign her position as postmistress at Indianola, Miss, because of her color, President Roosevelt has decided to close the postoffice at that point. In a statement issued through Secretary Cortelyou, the president says information received from reputable white people of the town and neighborhood shows that her resignation was forced by a brutal and lawless element. All

mail for Indianola will be forwarded to Greenville, and the attorney general will investigate the case.

Red Cross Moves.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The American National Red Cross has removed its headquarters from Washington to 19 East Fifty-eighth street, New York City. Miss Barton already is established there.

Dynamite Kills Miners.

Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 3.—A quantity of dynamite exploded in one of the gangways of the Oak Hill colliery, one mile north of Minersville, instantly killing three miners and injuring a dozen others.

Fire in Penitentiary.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Fire gutted the broom shop inside the walls of the Ohio penitentiary. The building is of brick and it will cost over \$5,000 to repair it. The broom company's loss is \$10,000.

Noted Shipbuilder Dies.

New York, Jan. 3.—Thomas MacPherson, one of the oldest shipbuilders in this country, who had a hand in building the cup-winning yacht America, half a century ago, is dead at Williamsburg.

Mothers' Rights Recognized.

The right of mothers as well as fathers to decide regarding the domicile, choice of profession, and marriage of their minor children has been recognized legally by the Dutch Parliament. Holland has also passed a law by which women may be appointed guardians for children not their own.



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